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Neville Chamberlain who gave a pleasant surprise on the Commons last night.

LAUSANNE

"THERE IS HOPE"

FOR EUROPE'S RECONSTRUCTION

MEMBERS READY TO CONTRIBUTE

London, June 30.
At Lausanne, the Conference of experts, consisting of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, as President, and one representative of each delegation, which after its formation last night at a meeting of the six invited powers, worked into the small hours of the morning on the reparation problem resumed at an early hour to-day and has been almost constantly at work since.
Meanwhile, the Ministers of Commerce or their representatives, have been considering the measures necessary to solve the economic and financial difficulties responsible for, or tending to prolong the present crisis, in preparation for a wider international conference to consider the question in the near future.

Mr. MacDonald, at a luncheon adjournment, told pressmen: "We are making progress. There is hope."

According to the newspapers, the Germans are prepared provisionally to contribute a sum as yet unfigured for a European reconstruction fund, and some of the discussions have centred round this idea. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who returned from Lausanne to London this evening, attended a cabinet meeting and reported to his colleagues on the developments at the conference.—British Wireless.

END AT MIDNIGHT.

Lausanne, July 1.
M. Herriot has left for Paris, after the meeting of the Executive Committee which concluded at midnight, the Germans being absent.

The discussions are being resumed to-day and Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has decided that he cannot yet leave for London.—Reuter.

DAIREN CUSTOMS DIFFICULTY

BRITAIN EXPRESSES HOPE IN TOKYO

London, June 30.
Replying to questions regarding the Dairen Customs difficulties, Captain Eden, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said that the Government had expressed a hope that the Japanese Government that they would not countenance any departure from the 1907 Manchuria Customs Agreement.

Any departure, they had informed the Government, would be a serious matter.

DELIGHT IN THE COMMONS

CITY CONFOUNDED BY SIMPLICITY

BONUSES FOR EARLY CONVERTEES

LONDON, JUNE 30.
THE GREATEST FINANCIAL OPERATION IN HISTORY, THE CONVERSION OF TWO THOUSAND MILLION POUNDS STERLING OF FIVE PER CENT. WAR LOAN INTO THREE AND A HALF PER CENT. STOCK, WAS ANNOUNCED IN DETAIL BY MR. NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS LAST NIGHT.

The reduction of interest will take effect on December 1, but holders preferring repayment may receive cash on that date. Those who indicate readiness to convert before the end of July, will receive a cash bonus of one per cent.

THE OPERATION WILL SAVE THE EXCHEQUER £30,000,000 A YEAR.

The simplicity of the scheme has confounded the City prophets, who anticipated complicated alternatives in view of the magnitude of the sum involved.

Mr. Chamberlain sprang a surprise on the House by making the announcement and awakened the members into loud cheers from all benches. Mr. George Lansbury expressed delight that an effort was at last being made to put the enormous debt on a better footing. All governments since 1929 have anxiously followed the market to choose the proper moment to launch the scheme.

Government printers were summoned to work all night to cope with the tremendous task of printing and posting fifteen million forms in twenty-four hours.

BROAD DETAILS OF PROPOSALS

It was at twenty-five minutes past nine to-night that the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, made his dramatic announcement in the House of Commons.

Mr. Chamberlain said: "The Government intend to repay the loan in cash on the first of December next to any holder who has decided to apply for repayment within three months from to-day, that is, not later than the 13th September."

"But holders in the loan are, at the same time, invited to continue in the loan on altered conditions and it is my confident hope that the great mass of the holders will respond to this invitation."

TREASURY INVITATION

The Treasury will, in accordance with the prospectus of 11th January, 1917, redeem the outstanding amounts of the loan at par on 1st December 1932. At the same time they invite any holder of the stock or bonds who wishes to do so to continue his holding in the loan after the redemption date, subject to certain modifications.

The principal modifications are as follows:—
Firstly, the rate of interest will be reduced as from December, 1932 to three and a half per cent. per annum.

Secondly, the loan will be redeemable at the option of the Government at any time after 1st December 1932, but not earlier, either in a separate operation or by instalments.

Thirdly, it will be changed to three and half per cent. War Loan.

INCOME TAX

Dividends will continue, as before, without the present deduction of income tax and the existing arrangements from the new taxation in favour of

VON PAPPEN DEFIED DR. SEVERING AND THE PRESIDENT

(Reuter's Special Service).

Berlin, June 30.
The Government of the Reich has been openly defied by Dr. Severing, the Minister of the Interior of Prussia, who has refused to comply with the request of the authorities to order the suspension of the newspapers, Vorwarts, and Volkzeitung, for five days. They criticised Von Pappen and the Reich Government.

Dr. Severing has appealed to the Supreme Court at Leipzig, which will deal with the matter next week.

BOMB KILLS FOUR IN SHANGHAI

COOLIE'S FATAL CARELESSNESS

CHAPEL HISHAP

(Telegraph Special).

Shanghai, July 1.

The series of mishaps resulting from the "left-overs" by souvenir-hunters and careless workers in the Shanghai war areas culminated in the death of four Chinese workers.

These men were engaged in piling on a truck, Chinese and Japanese munitions collected from various spots in Chapel.

Although the previous deaths had resulted from the incaution of souvenir-hunters, to-day's deaths were solely due to the careless handling of the explosives by a coolie, who threw a bomb forcefully on to the truck.

More than a dozen deaths have now been caused in such a manner since the war by left-over munitions.—Reuter.

CUSTOMS STAFF IN HIDING

MANCHUKUO GOES ON WITH PROGRAMME

Harbin, July 1.

The Manchukuo Customs Station was taken over by the Manchukuo authorities on Tuesday, when a Chinese grade assistant was arrested by the Japanese police and escorted to Harbin, where he arrived to-day. He is still under guard.

Only six of the Harbin regular Customs staff are working at present. The staff—its grades now totals 220.

Intimidation continues, despite the counter-measures taken by the Japanese Consul, Mr. Takigawa, but the majority of the Chinese staff are in hiding.

It is assumed that Mr. Kato, the former head of the Wharf Department of the South Manchurian Railway at Dairen, will be appointed Commissioner at Harbin.—Reuter.

NEW MENACE IN MANCHURIA

COMMUNISTS FORMING AN ARMY

Harbin, July 1.

It is rumoured, according to Japanese information, that Soviet citizens in the Hallin and Heng-tachotze and other closely districts are forming a Communist Party detachment, one thousand strong and that their commander, from the Third International, is arriving shortly.

It is estimated that the Manchukuo forces under the command of the Japanese

BOXER FUND QUERY

CHINESE PROMISE NOT YET CARRIED OUT

London, June 30.

A fear that the British Boxer Indemnity Funds were not being expended in the manner promised was expressed by Mr. Mander at question-time in the House of Commons to-day.

Mr. Mander's opinion was based, he said, on the fact that the Chinese Government had apparently ignored the request of the Trustees for documents entitling them to interest or amortisation.

Captain Anthony Eden, the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said he understood the money was being expended in a proper manner, but beyond the issue of certain regulations by the Chinese Minister of Railways, adequate arrangements had not yet been elaborated to ensure that the sums so expended will produce revenue available for reduction.

Mr. Mander demanded that the Government take steps to see that the Chinese Government carry out their obligations to Britain.

Captain Eden promised to do his best to implement the promises made to his predecessor.—Reuter.

FREEMAN'S LATEST

SEVENTEEN WICKETS IN A MATCH

Freeman, the famous Kent slow bowler, goes on from triumph to triumph. His latest feat, completed yesterday, is the taking of seventeen wickets in a match.

He shares with Mead (W.) of Essex the record of being the only bowler who has twice accomplished the performance in first-class cricket, the rarity of which is indicated by the fact that there are only sixteen previous instances, and that Freeman's is the fifth since the War and the first since 1926.

His brilliant effort enabled Kent to win their fourth successive match in the county championship. Details will be found on the Sports Page.

DETROIT WIN-SEQUENCE BROKEN

New York Sluggers Hard on Boston Red Sox

New York, June 30.

Chuck Klein, the champion National League hitter, passed Babe Ruth total for the season to-day when he hit two four-baggers against Brooklyn. He has scored 23.

Bill Terry also hit for the circuit, his fifteenth of the season. Results:

National League.			
Philadelphia	9	Brooklyn	3
New York	9	Boston	6
Pittsburgh	9	St. Louis	5
Chicago	7	Cincinnati	0

American League.			
Boston	4	New York	15
Cleveland	7	Detroit	4
St. Louis	7	Chicago	0

U.S. BUDGETARY PROBLEMS

ECONOMY BILL FALLS SHORT

BRITAIN'S WIMBLEDON YEAR



The late Mr. A. W. Gore, the last Englishman to win the Wimbledon singles title, in 1903.

AUSTIN IN GREAT DISPLAY

SATO TROUNDED AFTER 6,000 STAYS

VINES' SUCCESS

London, June 30.

H. W. Austin, master of a full victory over Jiro Sato, has raised the hopes of his supporters at Wimbledon to a high pitch. The longer the semi-final match lasted, the more certain was Austin's domination.

Sato played brilliantly in the opening stages. He kept a firm foothold on the slippery court, after a shower of rain, served well and kept the ball going tenaciously, volleying cleverly and missing nothing.

So well did he play, indeed, that he led 3-0 and then 4-0 in the first set, but he was unable to cope with "Bunny" Austin's brilliant recovery. Austin, however, won the set 6-4, and playing straight down the middle, won the next five games to take the set.

GALLANT FIGHT

The change of situation was dramatic, but nevertheless complete. Sato struggled gallantly, but Austin scarcely made a bad stroke and gave his opponent the minimum of opportunities to go on. The right ball every time, his volleys beautifully crisp.

He showed a definite improvement last year, a fact pointed out a good many times by his prospects, but his prospects have been disappointed.

AUSTIN'S

As the

Wets in High Feather

ROOSEVELT GIVES ENDORSEMENT

Chicago, June 30.

Mr. Franklin Roosevelt, who is seeking the Democratic nomination for the Presidency, but who has given no previous indication of willingness to go for outright repeal of Prohibition, to-day indicated his endorsement of the Convention's Wringing Wet plank.

The Drys in the Party have expressed consternation at the development and some of them are advocating the running of their own candidate and others talk of boycotting the Presidential election and concentrating their efforts upon the election of a Dry majority in Congress.

Meanwhile the Wets are celebrating their triumph all over the country and hopes are expressed that the legalisation of light wines and beers will be passed by Congress in the near future.

The Democratic Party to-day indicated that it was opposed to the immediate cash payment of ex-soldiers' bonuses, and rejected a proposal to endorse the principle of bi-metallic money.—Reuter.

DUTIES ON IMPORTED PRODUCTS

BRITISH SCOTLAND VINDICATED

London.

The Dominion of Scotland, J. H. Thomas, Secretary of Commons, to-day announced that the annuities now received, and day, submit proposals for

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

It is truly said that a dummy without a trick is two tricks worse off than one with an entry. The declarer in the following hand, with all his strength, is unable to go game due to the lack of an entry into the dummy.

♠ Q-J-6-4	♠ K-9-7-
♥ 10-9-6-4-3	♥ J-8-7-
♦ 5-4-3	♦ J-7
♣ 7	♣ K-8-3
♠ 10-8-2	♠ A-3
♥ 5	♥ A-K-Q
♦ 10-9-	♦ A-K-Q-8
6-2	♦ Q-10-5-2
♣ A-J-9-	
6-4	

The Bidding.

While the hand does contain five absolutely quick tricks, it is a doubtful two bid due to the fact that if partner's hand is trickless game cannot be made, but with a hand of this type two No Trump is a good opening bid. North, with four spades to the queen, jack and a five-card suit is justified in going to three No Trump.

The Play.

West's opening lead was the fourth best club—the six spot. When dummy played the seven, East refused to play his king but covered with the eight as he was hoping to get in with his king of spades and be able to come through the declarer's clubs in case declarer did have four to the queen. South won the trick with the ten spot and then led the ace, king and queen of hearts. West discarding two spades.

Declarer then cashed his ace, king and queen of diamonds, East discarding a spade. Hoping to force West into the lead, the declarer played the eight of diamonds which West won with the ten. A small club was returned by West, East winning with the king, and before returning the three of clubs, he cashed his good jack of hearts upon which South discarded his three of spades. East returned the three of clubs which West won with the nine and then cashed his ace of clubs, picking up the declarer's queen, and then played his jack of clubs for the last trick.

South, the declarer, was held to one No Trump. It is quite true that if he had cashed his ace of spades he could have made two No Trump, but he was trying for game and his play was justified.

INDIA ALARMED

MORE DUTY WANTED ON JAPANESE GOODS

Bombay, June 30.
The immediate imposition of additional duties on Japanese goods, equivalent to the differences between the normal and present parity exchange, was urged by the chairman of the Mill-owners Association of Bombay in a telegram to the Chamber of Commerce member of the Indian Government, consequent on the "continued alarming depreciation" of the Japanese Yen.

He pointed out that the yen was greatly below the parity existing when Japan and India were on the gold standard, and thus created a serious menace which gave an enormous advantage to Japanese exporters, resulting in Japanese yarn and piecegoods being sold on Indian markets at ruinous rates. He emphasised that the situation was likely to become worse owing to the large orders booked for forward delivery, and that industry could not afford to wait until the Tariff Board reported on the matter.—*Reuter*.



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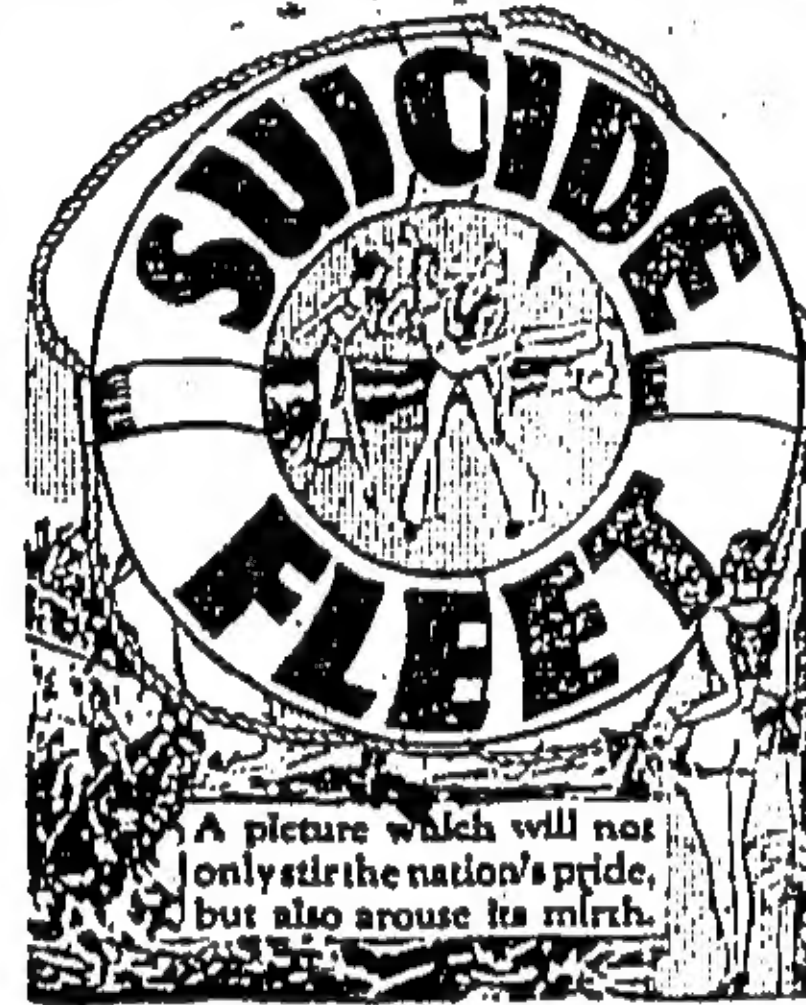
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SHING MUN SCHEME INTENTION

An assurance that the principle of Empire Preference will be adopted in works connected with the Shing Mun water scheme was given by the Colonial Secretary (Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax) in answer to questions asked in the Legislative Council yesterday.

Pursuant to notice, the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton asked: Will Government when calling for tenders in connexion with the construction of the Shing Mun Dam, stipulate, as far as possible, for British Empire materials?

The Colonial Secretary: Subject to the concurrence of the consulting engineers, the answer is in the affirmative.

Mr. Shenton: Will the Government when accepting tenders in connexion with the construction of the Shing Mun Dam give preferential consideration to British Empire materials?

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BROADCAST STATION.

NEW TRANSMITTER INSTALLED AT HUNG HOM

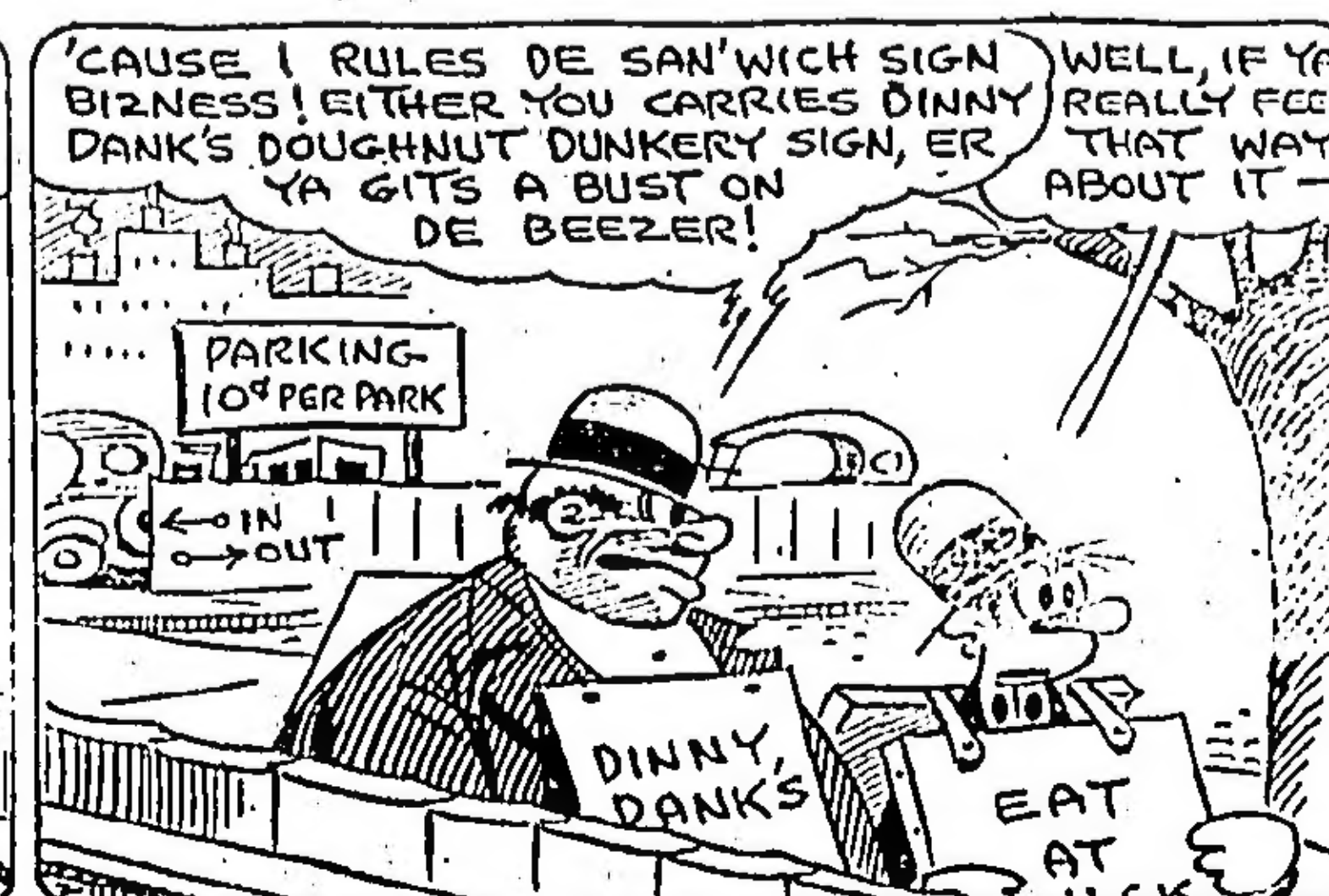
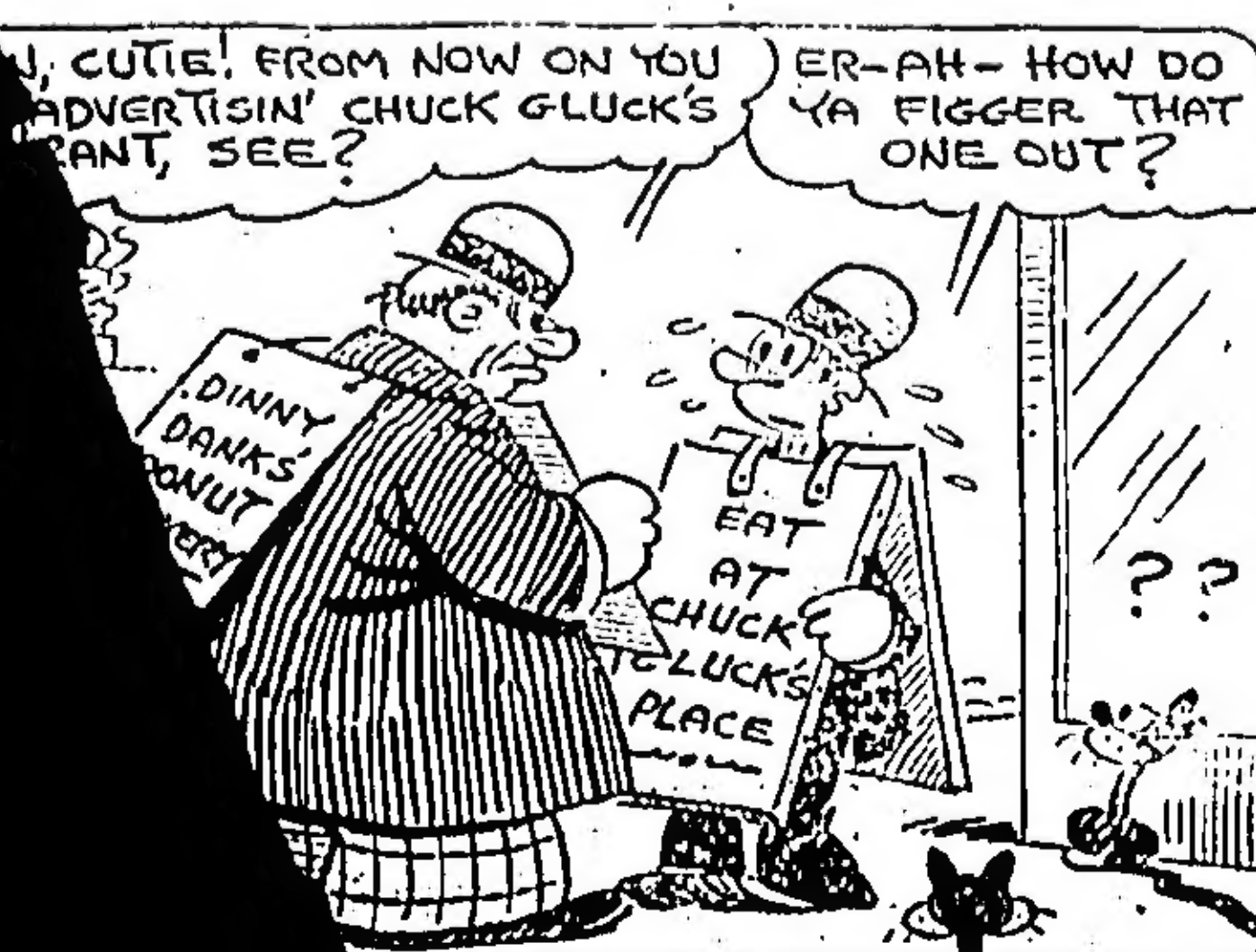
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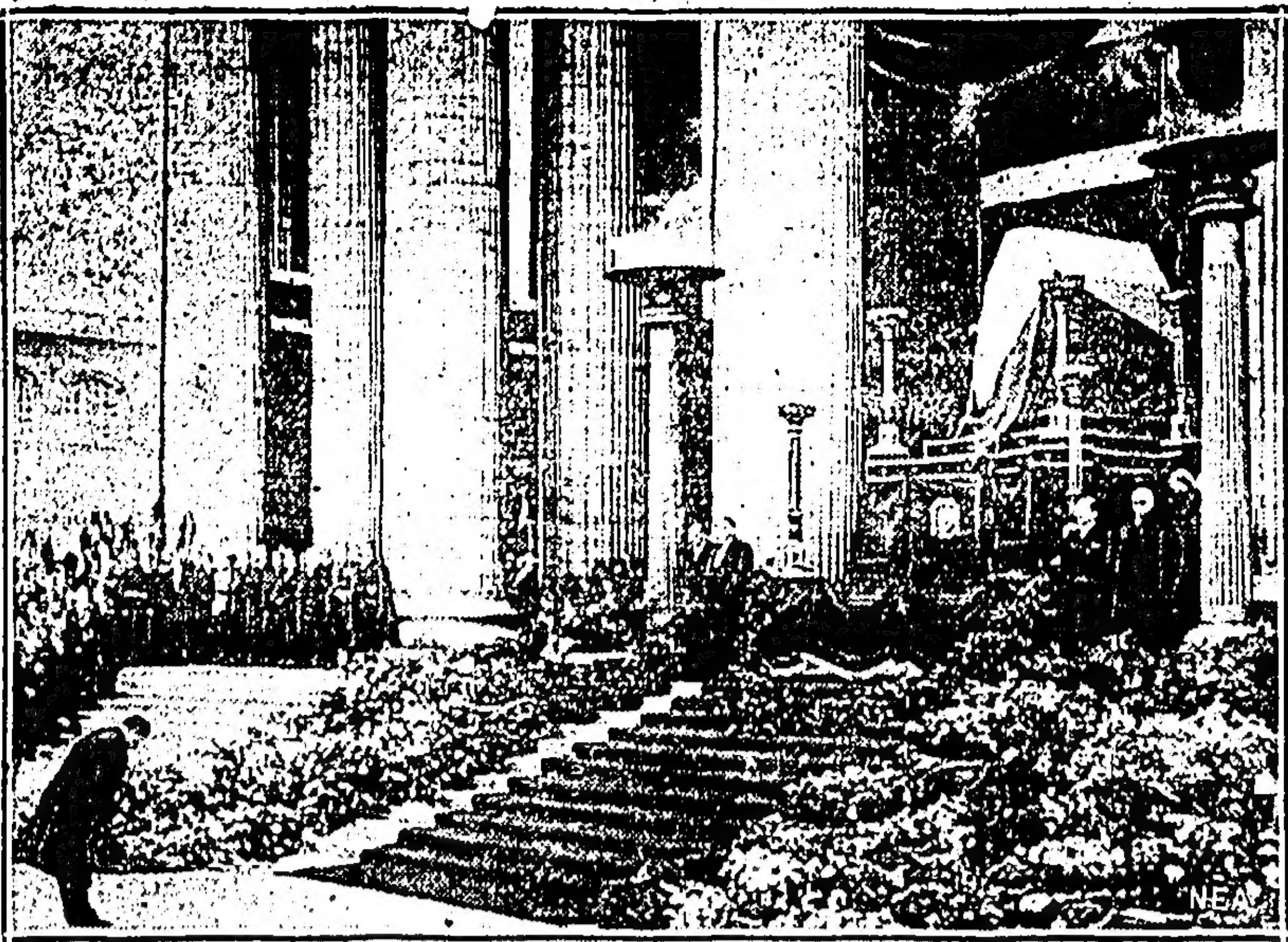
Reports from listeners as to strength of reception are requested especially from outports and vessels at sea. These reports should be addressed direct to the "Chief Electrical Engineer, Public Works Department, Fire Station Building, Connaught Road, Hongkong."

SALESMAN SAM

Diplomacy!

By Small

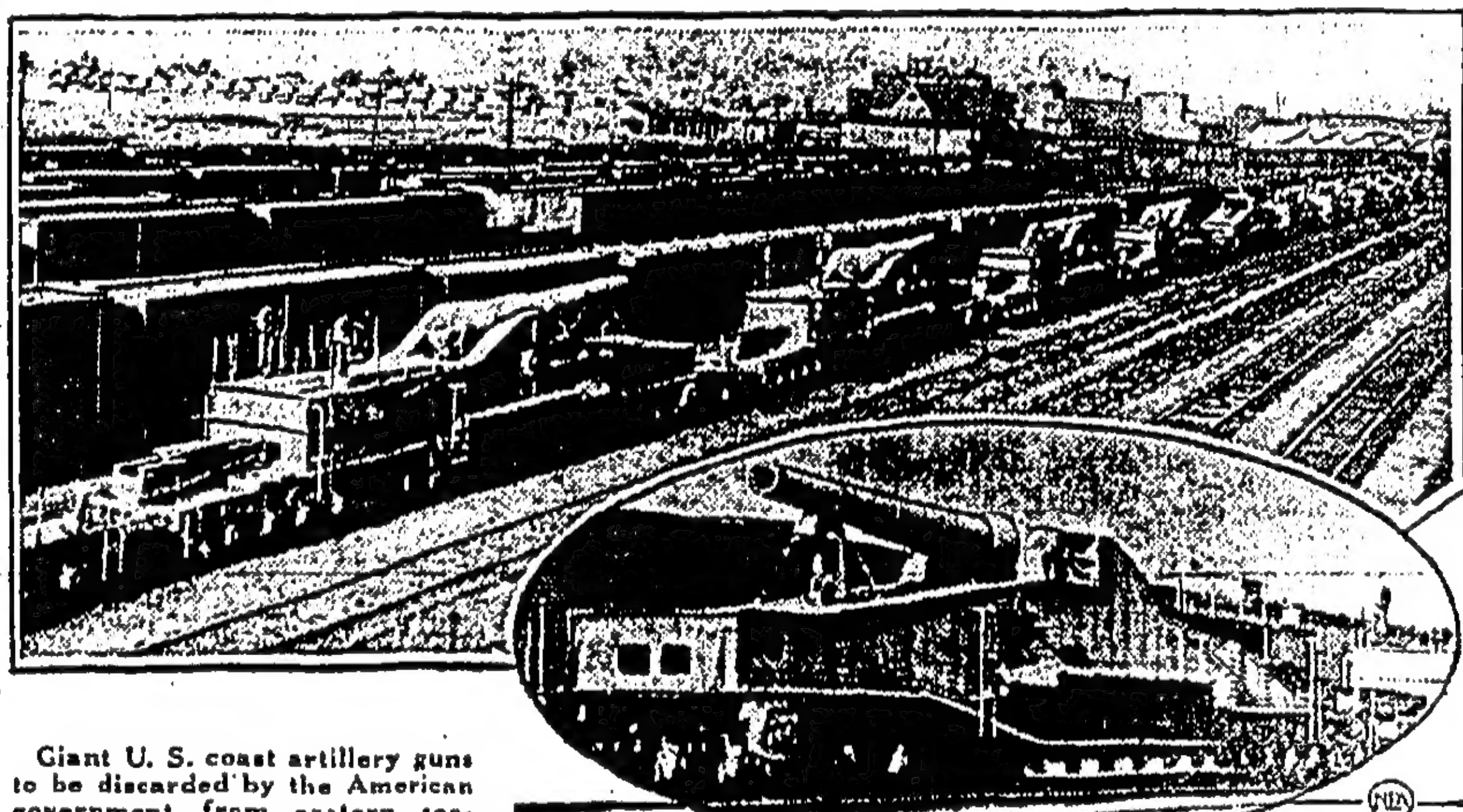




Bowed in a moment of silent, solemn tribute to the memory of M. P. Paul Doumer, M. Andre Tardieu is shown before the catafalque at the Pantheon in Paris.



Paris was thronged with hundreds of thousands of French citizens, gathered to pay solemn final tribute to M. Paul Doumer, their assassinated President. This picture shows the funeral hearse, drawn by six black horses, passing the Hotel de Ville route to Notre Dame Cathedral.



Giant U. S. coast artillery guns to be discarded by the American government from eastern seaboard fortresses are pictured above in the railroad yards of Columbus, O. Each gun, including its truck, weighs 272 tons.

MAN HUNTERS

BY MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Susan Carey, 19, and an orphan, works in the office of Ernest Heath, Chicago architect. One of her admirers is Ben Lammman, a moody young musician who asks her to marry him. She refuses. Jack Waring, who works in the same office, asks Susan to go driving one night. Waring leaves her and Susan resolves never to go with him again. She falls in love with Bob Dunbar, young millionaire whom she met at business school. She believes he is engaged to Denise Ackroyd, pretty debutante. Heath feels a paternal interest in Susan but his wife dislikes her. Denise Ackroyd asks her to attend a weekend party and Ben Milton, Susan's best friend, lends her a suitable wardrobe. On the way, Ben informs her they have been invited because Denise thinks them friends. Bob Dunbar appears at the party.

CHAPTER XXIV

"Whistling in the dark, I'm only whistling in the dark," Susan slipped through the French door and stood shivering in the darkness. A wind from the west blew across the prairies and the stars shone with uncanny brightness over her head. It was quiet here. She could almost shut out completely that hateful tune, the swish-swish of feet, and the babble of voices. She felt a misery too deep for words. That was why the vastness of the night comforted her.

The events of the day marched before her eyes like the unrolling of a film. There was the dinner. The oval table with its lace and ruby glass, the exquisite food, the doff servants gliding in and out. Susan had scarcely tasted anything. From the moment when she had come down stairs wearing her frock of white lace to find Denise in Bob Dunbar's arms she had been miserable.

"This is what she asked me for," Susan told herself bitterly. "He's told me she wants me to know why such a course should

give the girl any satisfaction Susan could not understand. The tall, fair young man had been her friend, nothing more, and that only briefly. If Susan had imagined that some divine flash of understanding had passed between the two, she had been wrong. She must get over it; other girls did. If her heart felt like a stone in her breast that was her affair and not other's. This interminable night would be over. There would be to-morrow, when she could return home and resolutely forget all her foolish dreams.

The worst of it was that Denise was bad for him. With laughter and encouragement she had had Bob's glass filled again and again at the table. What had sent her out into the night was the fact that Bob Dunbar, now quite drunk, had danced with her. It had been hideous! Through the crowd Susan had caught a glimpse of Denise's bright, malicious face as she watched them.

Bob had said not too steadily, "Didn't know you belonged in this artist crowd. Surprised to see you."

She was too sick at heart to answer him clearly, to explain that really she did not belong with them. As soon as she could she had slipped away from him and come out here to think things out. But she could not stay much longer. She was shuddering with cold now. Her only evening wrap, the beautiful rose shawl that one of the Careys had brought to his wife back in the 50's, was in the dressing room.

back to the house she thought. She could pack her things and leave a note and walk to the station. It would be childish, she knew, and perhaps cowardly but she longed terribly to be away from all this.

"You'll catch your death of cold," she heard a voice saying. Susan wheeled. The young man who had sat at her left at dinner, the one they called Dum-Dum, was standing just below her on the gravel, lighting a cigarette. She forced herself to speak naturally.

"I suppose I shall."

He cleared the low railing and took her arm.

"Come along inside," he said agreeably. "They're sending out a search party for you. Denise wants to go on to 'The Blue Mouse.' It's too stuffy here."

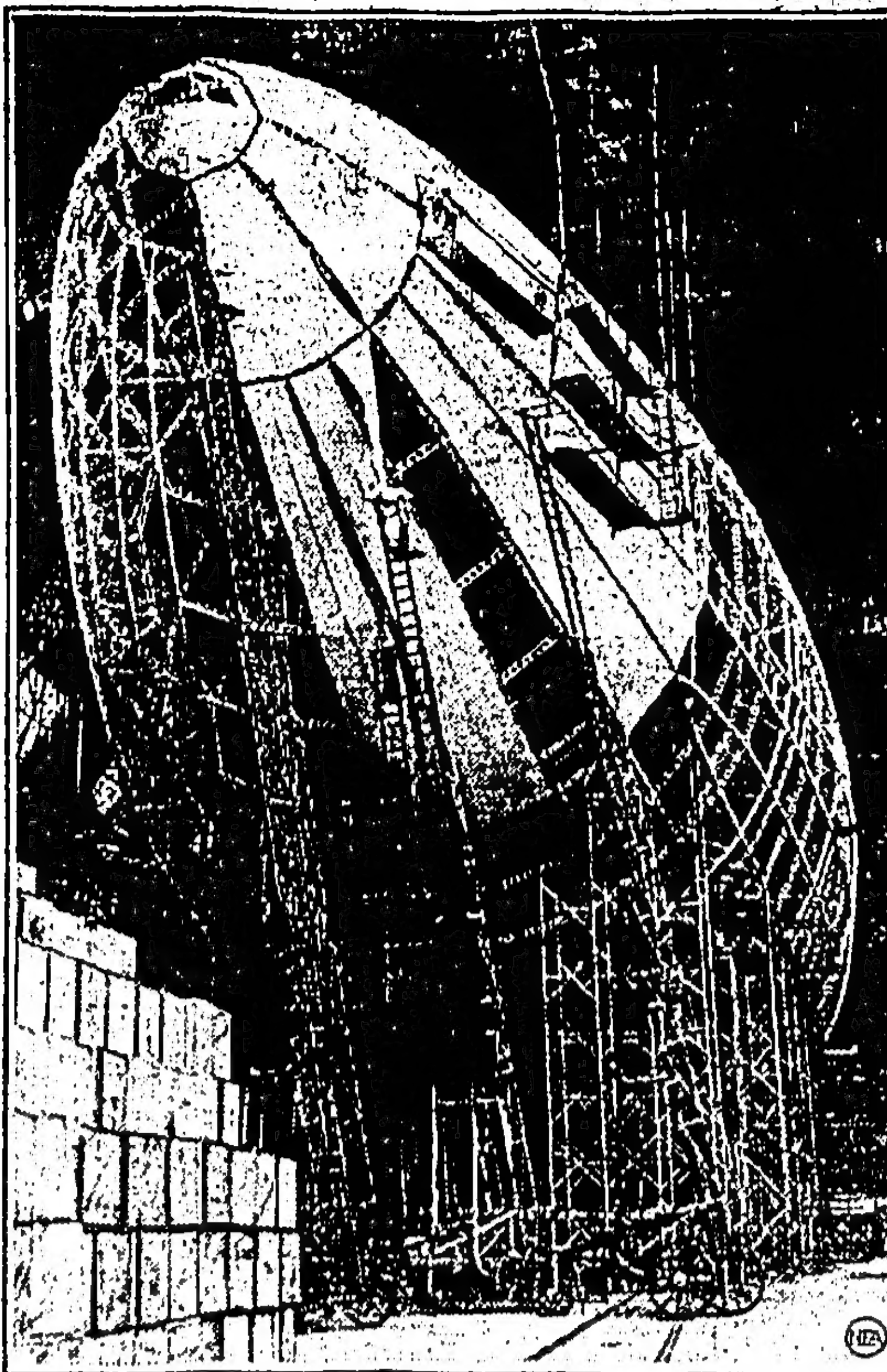
Susan allowed herself to be led back indoors. Some of the dancers looked at her curiously as she threaded her way past them, the tall, pale young girl, with the cloud of dark hair.

A small, argumentative group was gathered in the hall of the club. Sonia, a preposterous yellow frock sliding away from her shoulders, had her hand on Ben's arm. She looked up guiltily as Susan advanced.

"Oh, here she is," she said with animation. "I told you she was around some place."

Ben looked black as a thunder cloud. He growled, "And yet you were all willing to go off without her!"

Susan's eyes searched for the face she longed yet dreaded to see. The youth, Dum-Dum murmured, reading her thoughts. "Bobby's nearly out. Some one took him to walk around the grounds. He'll be o.k. in a few minutes. He seemed to be a very knowing young man but considerate. Susan's eyes thanked him as she went to get her wrap. The



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This stunt was witnessed at a benefit horse show in Washington the other day. The performers were members of the Third Cavalry from Fort Myer, and three of their trusty mounts.

face that looked back at her from the dressing room mirror was startling in its pallor. There were great rings under her eyes. Sonia had followed and stood staring at Susan with frank curiosity.

"Don't take it so hard," she advised.

Anger flared up in Susan. "I don't know what you mean."

"Yes, you do," Sonia adjusted her extraordinary earrings and patted her oily hair with satisfaction. "A child could see what's the matter with you," she said coolly. "Buck up and show you have a little fight."

Susan squared her shoulders. "You're talking riddles."

"Oh, well," Sonia shrugged. "Don't mind me. I only meant to give you a friendly tip."

had darkened. So that was it! They were all feeling sorry for her. They knew what this was about. Well, she'd show them. She threw the shawl about her shoulders, liking the picture she made.

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NOTES & NEWS

HEARTIEST congratulations to the Queen's Theatre on their enterprise in securing the brilliant German production of *Four Infantrymen*. G. W. Pabst's reply to Universal's *All Quiet on the Western Front*. When I name the picture as Pabst's reply to *All Quiet*, I may be doing the famous director an injustice, for there is no attempt to produce *Four Infantrymen* on the same spectacular scale as the epic Universal War film. It is really an attempt, and a very successful one too, to express the intense national pride and patriotism of the Germans when they entered upon those four years of titanic struggle with the rest of the world.



BUT one of the many dramatic scenes in G. W. Pabst's vivid German war film "Four Infantrymen", which comes to the Queen's next Wednesday. It is the first German picture to be shown in Hongkong, and is incidentally regarded as one of Pabst's masterpieces.

"4 Infantrymen"
A Sensation

BY "CELLULOID"

BUT despite the really brilliant acting, the exceptionally beautiful photographic effects (the opening scene is too vivid for pen description), and the, generally speaking, high standard of directing, I have my complaint to register. Hollywood is still sex-ridden, by which is meant, that no matter the theme, the action or the settings, Hollywood has got to have predominant its love-interest. The studios defend this by pointing to box-office receipts, which

PSYCHOLOGY FILMS.

I feel certain that Hongkong is going to appreciate this film, which, although the dialogue is in German, has English titles. It is a typical piece of work by Pabst, who, with the late F. W. Murnau, René Clair, Pudovkin and Eisenstein, ranks as the foremost cinema director in the world. Pabst bases his direction on a profound knowledge of the psychology of people. In fact most of his films are remarkable psychological studies. The human touches which he works with great subtlety into his scenes, lift his films from the ordinary rut and put them in a sphere which approaches nearer and nearer the perfect cinema.

CREATIVE DIRECTOR.

It is doubtful if *Four Infantrymen* reaches the same standard of directional artistry as that displayed by Pabst in his masterpiece *Der Dreigroschenoper* (The Threepenny Opera), for there he surpassed himself with his delicate satire and unexpected touches of wit and pathos. But he certainly does manage to convey his ideas through the medium of the actors, camera and set-ups. This is where Pabst is in advance of his contemporaries. Unhindered by outside influence, Pabst can express to the full his ideas and his creative ability. Furthermore to him the camera, lighting effects, set-ups, "props" and actors play their individual part in the making of a film. He can express as much through a camera angle as many of less artistic director does in a sequence which calls for elaborate settings and hundreds of feet of action. Pabst's room.

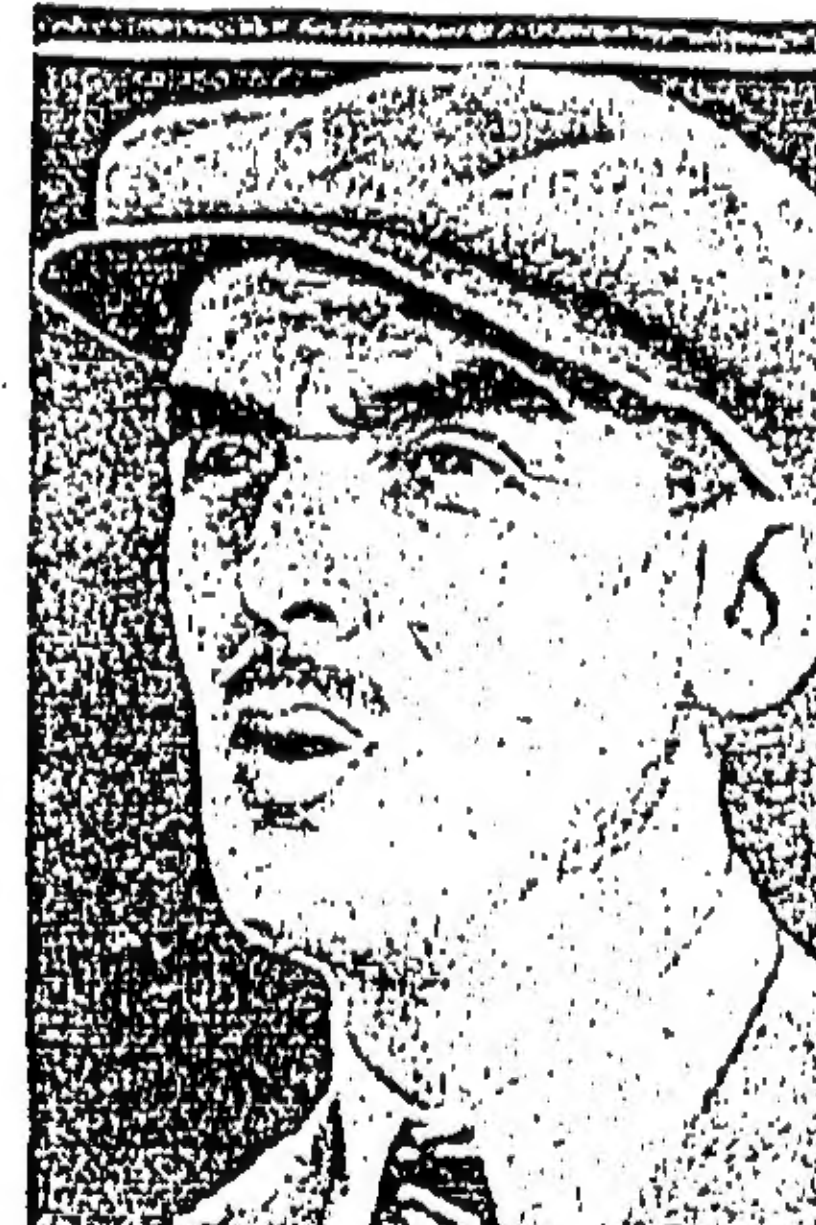


GRETA Nissen and Bramwell Fletcher, as Siren and Pawn in Fox's remarkable film of "The Silent Witness", which starts a short season at the King's on Sunday.

THE introduction of German productions to local cinema is at the present an experiment. *Four Infantrymen* is the first film from the German studios to be shown here. The Queen's Theatre having secured it from Shanghai. I understand that it offers the desired appeal and attraction to local audiences further German pictures may come here. If local film fans wish to appreciate the tremendous advance made by Germany over America, England and France in the cinema, then all I can say is the more German films we receive the better. Directors like G. W. Pabst are not worried about box-office receipts. Pabst is an artist and through him and men of his calibre the silver screen is being raised to the level of art. His sole idea is to express in adequate terms men, life, human emotions, and nature. Pabst had propaganda as his stimulus in the making of *Four Infantrymen* and the film consequently has not quite the same artistic touches which generally mark his work.

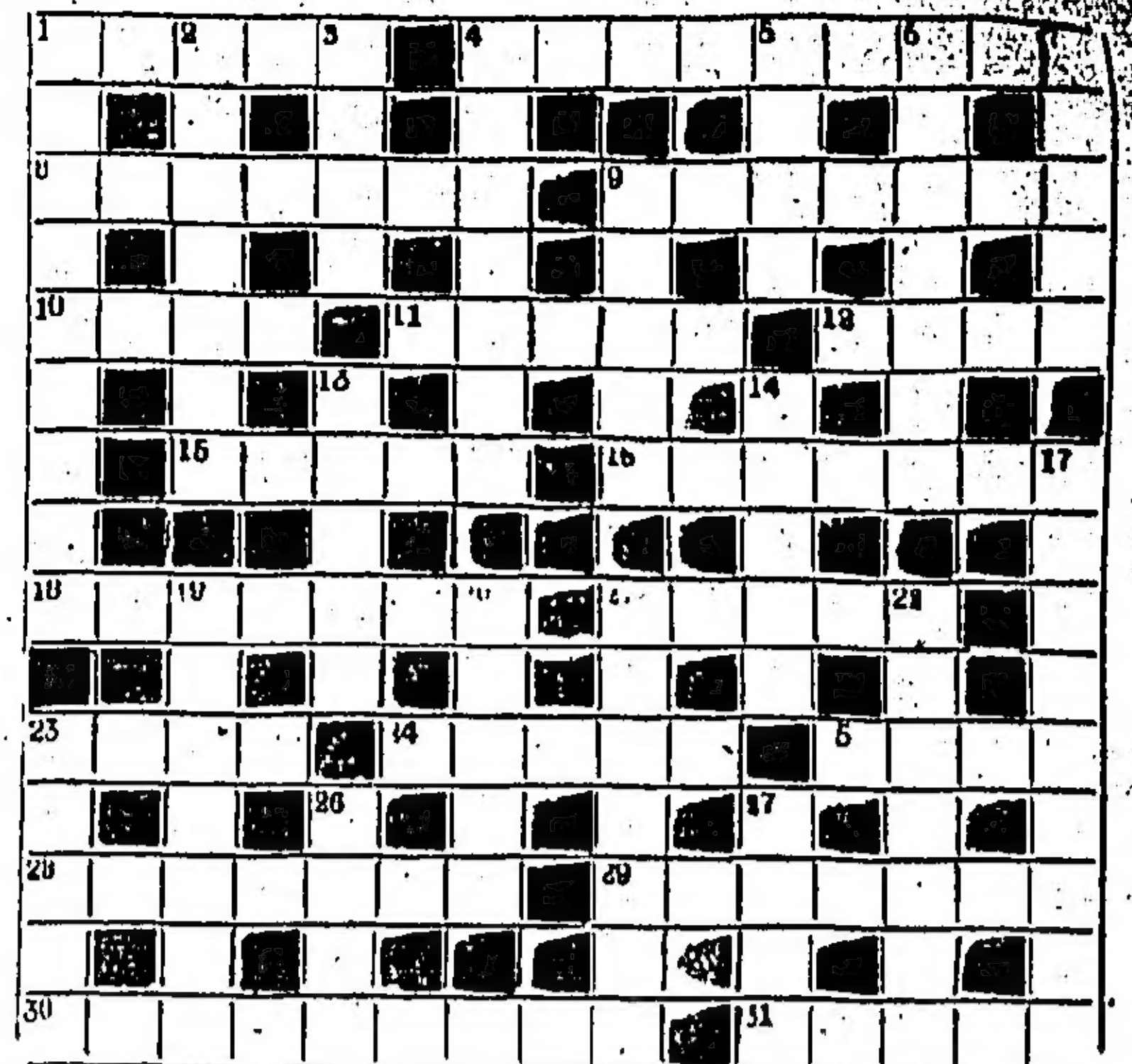
SECOND ONLY TO ALL QUIET.

FRANKENSTEIN left an indelible impression upon me, though it was not that of being thrilled or horrified; as I left the Central Theatre this week I wondered if there was any other film producer who could tackle such a story as *Frankenstein* and do it with such outstanding success and impressiveness as Universal. I very much doubt it. Universal have always cleaved to the spectacular and sensational; in fact so intent are they upon creating the maximum of physical reaction that their cinema has often suffered. Fortunately, in the experienced hands of Whale, the picture, which engenders stark horror, is relieved by some deft touches, and, excepting *All Quiet on the Western Front*, which remains more of a documentary film than a mere individual attempt to express the Great War, *Frankenstein* ranks as the finest Universal production since the inception of the talking screen.



JIMMY Glendon, the famous American humorist, who is featured in "The Old and the New", which opens at the Queen's Theatre on Sunday.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across.

- 1 Palm off nothing in hand-writing.
- 4 Not even a 'Varsity' man ever took it to London (two words).
- 8 Their revised version is so clear.
- 9 A stone that seems to stand out more to view.
- 10 Let's go to Hastings now: I think it's no hot in town in August (hidden).
- 11 Made better when you're in a hurry.
- 12 A Genesis lady.
- 15 It's all about all of us.
- 16 A little saint in something sweet growing possibly in your garden.
- 18 Fruit apparently intended—the fruit of some brain or other.
- 21 The Fleet-street crowd.
- 23 If in deer, it is but empty without wine.
- 24 Here you get by in Noddy—very deep.
- 25 Bunny's danger signal.
- 28 A holy Oriental who has the same relations on both sides.
- 29 The relation Dr. Ross's cow bears to these puzzles.
- 30 A part of London that hardly suggests moderate language, by George!
- 31 Part of Germany.

Down.

- 1 Anything you can eat, though seemingly a bit hard on the iveries.
- 2 The source of "Hol Jolly Jenkin".
- 3 If a certain type could drop its two eyes, you'd have this source of power.
- 4 Bruce didn't, possibly because he saw a spider here.

- 5 Not one of the aristocrats of the turf, but everything in France.
- 6 Speech for an envelope.
- 7 Not necessarily at the top of the map.
- 9 Seems a small quantity for a hundred in a tub.
- 13 "And the — of their spears was like stars on the sea" (Byron).
- 14 Dunes deranged.
- 17 Many chits (anag.).
- 20 Material for Mrs. Gamp?
- 20 Shin-bone.
- 21 Not wise in France, but, if you are lucky, you can get a smooth one to it.
- 22 No matter how tightly, it may be rescued.
- 23 The beast that arrived after losing his tail.
- 24 What the artist-colony may do in Leichesth.
- 27 Mary's close companion.

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WHERE AMERICA SCORES.

GENERALLY speaking, America's efforts in the past to reproduce English scenes, customs and personalities have been pretty dismal failures, but I must confess that in *The Silent Witness*, Fox have done themselves justice in handling London scenes and English court procedure. So faithful are the reproductions that at first I imagined the Dunning Process had been put into effective use, but I later learned that the settings are Hollywood studio stuff. Incidentally, the Dunning Process, an invention which has revolutionized the film industry, was originally the work of an Englishman, who, not without precedent, could not dispose of his marvellous invention to the British producers and had to go to America to have his labors rewarded. This process, which allows scenes to be taken anywhere, quite separate from studio shots, and to be superimposed, placed the American productions miles ahead of any of their rivals. The Process has now been perfected. —by Hollywood!

THE OLD AND THE NEW.

QUEEN'S Theatre crowds who are attracted this week by Long Tack Sam's troupe, also have *Skin Deep*, a Warner Brothers Vitaphone All-talking production, thrust upon them. Students of the cinema who come early enough or remain late enough, as the case may be, to see both outside and screen show, will find in the latter much to interest them—not in entertainment, but as an example of the strides Hollywood has made even in two years.

Skin Deep is not a recently produced film: its theme, now worn

threadbare—the one of the plastic surgeon making the silk purse from the sow's ear—places its birth about two years ago, and in these days when films reach Hongkong within a few months of their release from the makers, it is seldom the opportunity comes to compare the present productions with the earlier attempts in talking films.

ALCOHOL IN LEMONADE.

SKIN DEEP came at a time when the public was clamouring for talking films, irrespective of their entertainment value, and any old kind of a story was seized on and rushed into celluloid; consequently some painful trips was projected from the machine cabins, although in its making, the film itself was in the highest grade of its day, and illustrated all the motion picture makers knew. Which means nothing more than that they were silent pictures, with voices instead of subtitles.

That is *Skin Deep*. A film with a story that modern audiences cannot possibly swallow despite any appetizer and a technique, direction and camera work as bare of interest as alcohol in lemonade. It is plain and straightforward with a monotonous repetition of direct camera shots varying between close-up and long distance, not a suspicion of a moving camera and entirely lacking in deft directorial touches.

Skin Deep is as uninteresting as its most unattractive trailer, which proves that the old simple photographic film has had its day, and the same way as the old fashioned trailer of a member of the cast telling the unseen world of the quality of the product. Film fans need an unusual trailer to attract them in these film-conscious days.

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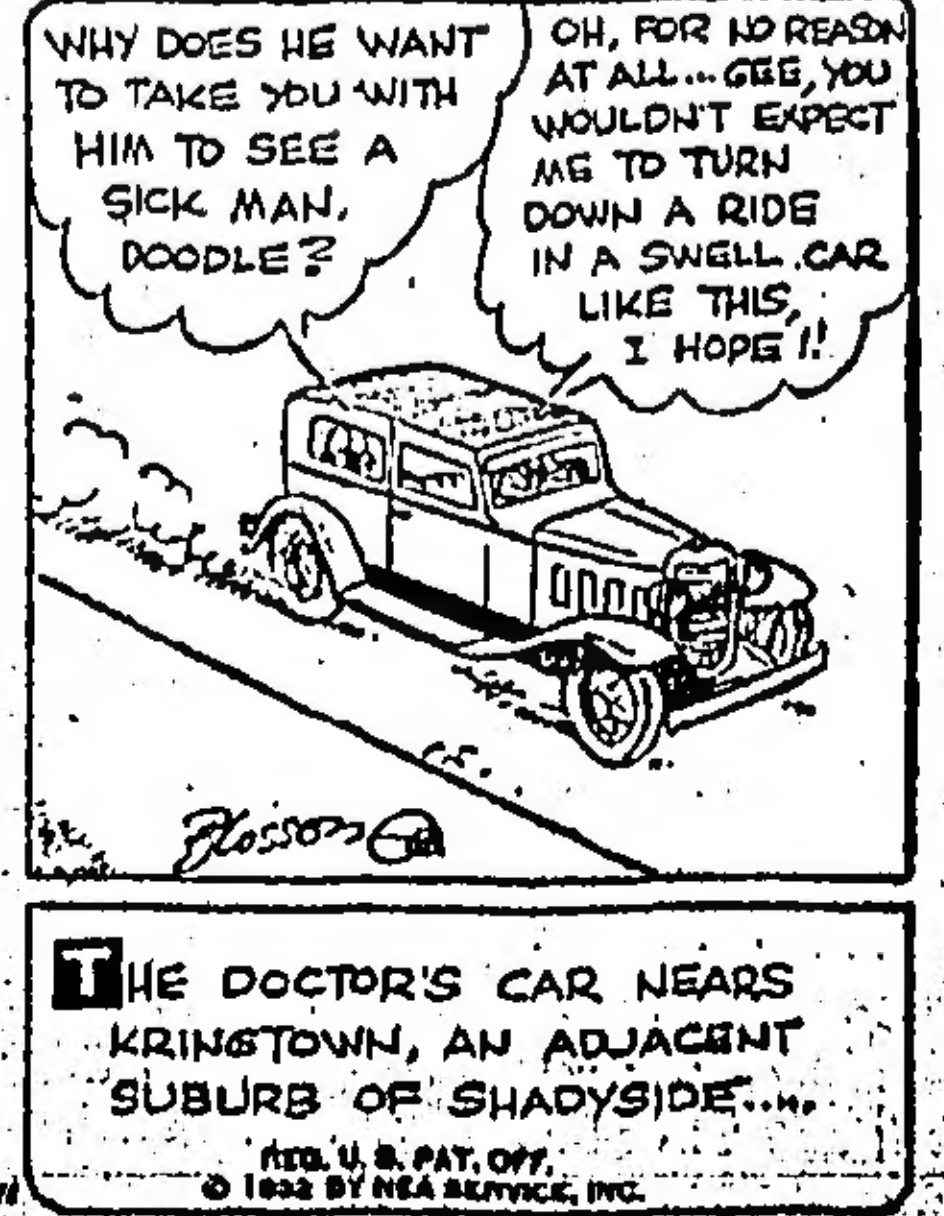
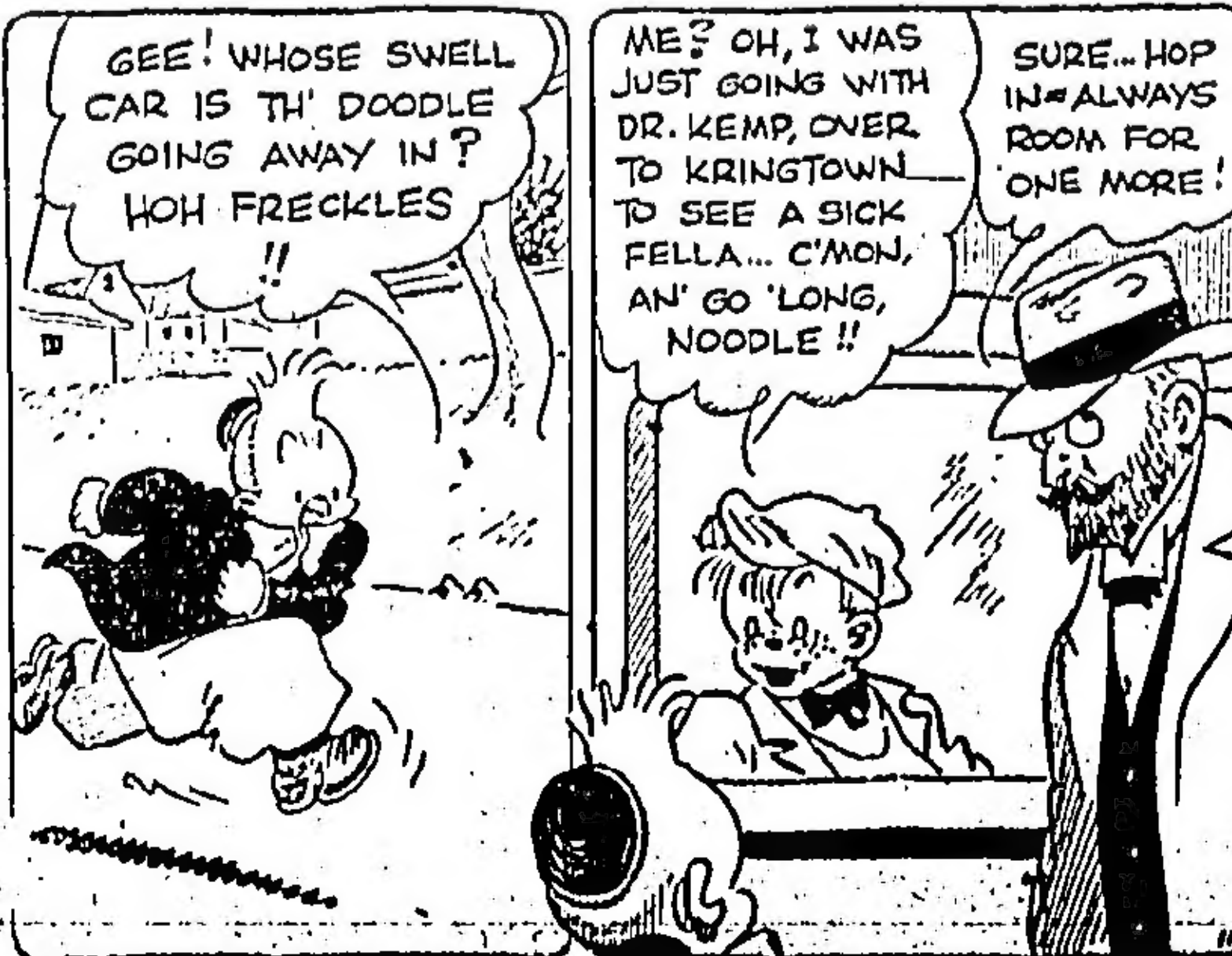
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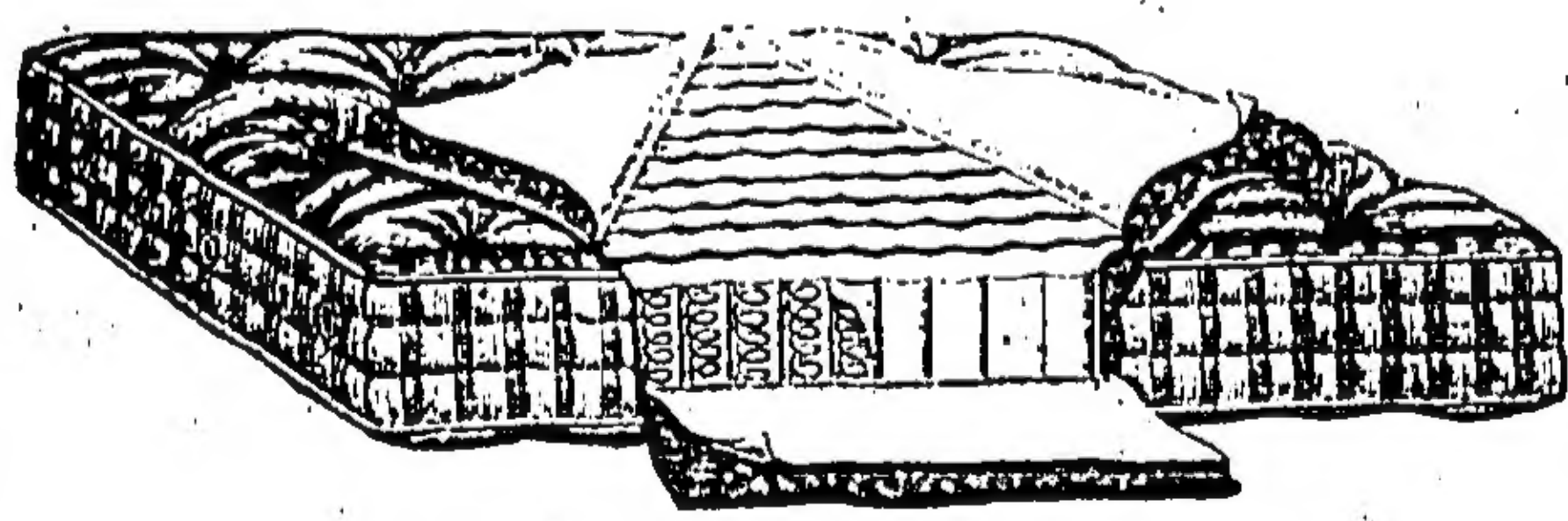
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FRIDAY, JULY 1, 1932.

MOTOR DANGERS

There can be no doubt that, as stated in the Police Court yesterday, cases in which motor-drivers meet with mishaps and fail to report them to the police are becoming increasingly common in this Colony. Again and again in the Press we come across paragraphs of motorists knocking people down and then making off post-haste. In some of the instances, the victims are fatally injured. It is not, of course, to be assumed that the drivers are always at fault in these mishaps; indeed, more often than not the accidents are due to carelessness on the part of pedestrians. But that does not absolve the motorist from the duty, not only of going to the aid of the victim, but also of making a report to the police. When these very necessary regulations are ignored, the offender deserves to be heavily punished. One of our magistrates yesterday suggested that Hongkong might well follow the Home practice of giving the Court power to suspend licences, instead of merely making recommendations to the police. We find ourselves in agreement with the suggestion, since not only do magistrates have the full facts of each case before them in the evidence given, but the defendant's record can easily be produced in Court. If it became known that in serious cases our magistrates would, in addition to the sentence, order the cancellation of a licence, we might hope in course of time to check the evils of reckless driving. As matters now are, the public may or may not hear that a man's licence has been taken away.

It is interesting in connexion with local motoring offences to notice the effect of the new Road Traffic Act at Home. Behind that measure lay a desire common to all the conflicting interests and opinions that the roads should be made safer, and that the toll of life and limb should be substantially reduced. It was realised that the new law could only effect safety by dint of what might be termed intimidation. Fines of up to £100 per offence, terms of six months' imprisonment, and cancellation of drivers' licences, were the levers by which reckless or clumsy driving was to be restrained. For a time, the atmosphere of apprehension created by the Act was maintained, but experience has shown that the incidence of

exemplary punishments has not increased, only the really bad cases being severely treated. The result, it is stated, is that the toll of road deaths and injuries has not been lowered; in fact, it has increased. Looking into the Act, we find that the offence of "reckless driving" is divorced from sheer speed. A car may be driven at a speed much slower than the maximum allowed for its type of vehicle; yet if this restricted speed, or the manner in which the car is driven, is dangerous, considering the amount of traffic, or the nature or condition of the road, the driver may be convicted of reckless driving. On summary conviction, for a first offence, he may be fined £50 or sent to prison for four months. On second and subsequent convictions, he may be fined £100 or imprisoned for four months, or both. The ordinary culpabilities, however, are not even charged under this clause, but under the "careless driving" heading, in which the penalties are rather lighter.

The law at Home appears to be operated on the principle that it would not be right to institute a system of terrorism, and to send decent citizens to prison, or fine poor men £100 for the common kind of blunder or miscalculation which produces a typical road crash and kills or injures one or more road users. It is apparently considered that the stigma of imprisonment and the crippling effects of £100 fines ought to be reserved for genuinely scandalous offences, and not extended to the sort of miscalculation which an ordinary motorist may perpetrate every day of the week. The authorities apparently hold that, in view of the congestion on the roads, the handicaps of fog and grease and dazzle, the obsolete character of so many roads and junctions, the carelessness of pedestrians, and the inexperience of so many motorists, the majority of accidents impute a blame which is less than criminal to the culprits. This also appears to be the view taken here in Hongkong. All the same, it is only right and proper that where there are glaring cases of recklessness, the full rigours of the law should be imposed.

Legends of Shakespeare.

It will be pleasant news for admirers of Shakespeare who have thought unwillingly and with regret of his alleged poaching in Sir Thomas Lucy's park that latest scholarship holds the episode to be altogether fictitious. As the tale has gone Shakespeare was caught, punished by a sound whipping, and bore Sir Thomas so long a grudge that when opportunity offered he smiled grimly, dipped his quill afresh, and caricatured him in the creation of Justice Shallow. There has been no sufficient reason for believing the story. Poaching, for one thing, was then punished not by flogging but by three years' imprisonment, which would have left a record. But the tale has persisted. Now, however, Dr. Leslie Hotson, has further authenticated the scepticism with which serious Shakespearean scholars have regarded it. What now appears likely is that Shakespeare, if intentionally caricaturing anybody, had in mind one William Gardiner, who, Dr. Hotson finds, was a good deal of a rascal. He invites no sympathy. It is apparently arguable—as an interested public may presently read in a book—that Gardiner, a London justice of the peace, was an enemy of Shakespeare, and that he had a stepson, William Wayte, whom the dramatist may have utilised as material for Shallow's nephew Slender. William Wayte, it seems, had his own reasons to cross the street if he saw William Shakespeare coming, for the researcher discovered a Latin document of the year 1596 in which "William Wayte craves aures of the peace against William Shakespeare, Francis Langley, Dorothy Soer, wife of John Soer, and Anno Lee." This study also sets a new date—April 23, 1597—for the production of the "Merry Wives," so the dramatist may conceivably have had it in his thought to inspire

DAY BY DAY

THE CHURCH LIVES IF IT IS AT HOME WITH THE POOR.—George Meredith.

Mr. G. S. Tranah, second-class draughtsman at Hongkong, has been appointed to Chatham dockyard.

Latest Admiralty civil appointments include Mr. F. Sellwood, first class draughtsman, to the electrical department, Hongkong dockyard.

For the convenience of visitors, Messrs. Whitenay, Laidlaw & Co., Ltd., announce that their store will be open to-morrow as usual.

Mr. D. Chan See has resigned his position as Manager of the Sincere Company Limited, and Mr. Ma Man-fai, sub-manager, has taken over his work.

Ng Fat, 35, attempted suicide yesterday by drinking an opium solution, and was removed from his home at 43, Causeway Bay Road to hospital in a semi-conscious condition.

A Morris car which was parked at the top of Western Street, suddenly rolled down the slope and crashed into a lamp post at the junction of High Street. The owner, Mr. Moses Long, living at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. at Bridges Street, found his car badly smashed up on its return. A slackened brake is thought to have been the origin of the mishap.

The wedding took place privately in St. Andrew's Church yesterday of Miss Lucy Tuh-tung, L.C.O., B.A. (Columbia) this daughter of the Rev. Fan Ho Lieo, Pastor of St. Peter's Church, Hankow, to Mr. Baldwin Lee, M.A., Ph.D. (Columbia) Associate Professor of Education, Lingnam University, Canton. The Rev. W. Walton Rogers, M.A., officiated at the ceremony.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Public Holidays.

[To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir,—Almost any excuse is seized upon in this Colony for proclaiming a public holiday. For example, 2nd of July, merely because it is a Saturday following a holiday which does not even exist at Home.

We enjoy many holidays which, I believe I am right in saying, few other Colonies keep. But one day which emphatically ought to be a public holiday is not—I refer to May 24th, Empire Day. True, it is a Government holiday, but for the rest of the community it is merely another day of toil.

Might I suggest to our Government that in future May 24th be kept, instead of one of the present regular holidays to which no special sentiment is attached? What do your readers think? Yours, etc.,

CITIZEN.

WEDDING AT THE CATHEDRAL

MISS N. BASARGIN & MR. W. SERAPHINA

A pretty wedding was solemnised at St. John's Cathedral this morning when Miss Nadia Basargin, the daughter of Mr. Basargin, and Mrs. L. N. Basargin, of Harbin, became the bride of Mr. W. M. Seraphina, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Seraphina, of Montrose, Angus, Scotland. The Rev. Dean Swann officiated.

The bride was given away by Mr. S. R. Ambrose and was attired in a gown of heavy white georgette and crepe satin, the veil being of hand embroidered Brussels net. Her bouquet was of white roses.

In attendance was Miss Sophie Shirazee, of Shamen, as bridesmaid, her dress being of petunia chiffon and satin and a picture hat of celophane straw. She carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. S. F. McGrath discharged the duties of best man.

A reception was subsequently held on board the s.s. Halyang, on which the couple later left for Foochow, where the honeymoon is being spent.

some peevishness in Master Wayte. However, that may be, this new knowledge separates Shakespeare from illegal pursuit of Sir Thomas's fallow deer, and also, in Dr. Hotson's opinion, helps separate the Shakespeare plays from the Baconian theory. Whatever goes to show that Shakespeare incorporated personal experience in his plays goes to show that he wrote them himself. But one is still left wondering what he was promising to do to William Wayte in congenial company with Francis Langley, Dorothy Soer, and Anne Lee.

DOES POVERTY PREVENT HAPPINESS?

By DR. HARRY ROBERTS

THAT real poverty is stultifying, both to health and to happiness, is a postulate we must all accept.

A few exceptional individuals may rise above the severest material limitations, but these are so unusual, so abnormal, that no general conclusion can be drawn from them.

In actual fact, however, poverty and ignorance are as frequently found as companions as are poverty and dirt; and it is doubtful which of this sad trinity is the greatest contributor to disease and unhappiness.

In England, extreme poverty—that which borders on famine—is to-day rare; and it is a question if it is, itself, a direct cause of much ill-health at the present time.

Indirectly, of course, it is responsible for a very great deal. Those who are relatively poor to-day are actually richer in their control over things that matter than were the merchants and the nobility of a very few centuries ago. Unfortunately, we do not always know how best to exploit our power and our material. Our control over the gifts of nature has outstripped our capacity to use that power to the greatest advantage.

In matters of food and clothing, for example, it is, indeed, depressing to observe to how small an extent the discoveries of science in the last fifty years have been introduced into general education and thus made the property of the whole people.

Discoveries Not Appreciated.

Some of our most valuable food ingredients, required in quantities too small to be measured by any vessel at our disposal, are taken into serious account by few housewives—and by few teachers of future housewives.

The discoveries of Sir Leonard Hill and others, again, are but in small degree appreciated, and still less applied in our choice of dress and dress materials. Tradition and convention still count for far more than science and comfort, and, therefore, for more than health. Much the same might be said about our homes; indeed, about all the essential activities and amenities of man in this latitude.

Approaching this question from another angle, Professor J. B. S. Haldane recently said that our politicians, through their ignorance of, or indifference to, biological truths, are accustomed to think of machinery rather than of man, of wealth rather than of health—and to plan or drift accordingly.

It is high time that our bankers, our economists, and our politicians established a liaison with the physiologists and the practical philosophers and began to contemplate social problems as concerned first of all with human life and with human health, and truly secondarily with machines and abstract "institutions."

Robert Louis Stevenson, in that perhaps most charming of his books, "An Inland Voyage," tells us of how he and his companion, one evening, in their canoes, the town of Antwerp, encountered a group of young men, members of a boating club of that city, with whom they entered into conversation. Those youths explained that during the day they were occupied with the

trivial affairs of banks and offices, but that in the evenings "voyez-vous, nous sommes sérieux."

We Are Slaves.

"Many might go to Heaven with half the labour they go to Hell, if they would venture the right way," said Ben Jonson; and we need not look a few yards from our doorstep to see the aphorism verified.

We are supposed to be a phlegmatic race; but, in truth, we are the slaves of abstractions. We laugh at those whom we call fanatics, but fanaticism and taboos largely guide the activities and dictate the lives of nearly all of us.

"To know what you prefer, instead of humbly saying amen to what the world tells you you ought to prefer, is to have kept your soul alive."

This slavery to catch-words is evidenced not only in our politics, but also, no less, in our private, every-day lives. We are all semi-hypnotised. Make but a few passes before our eyes, and our personality slips from us, so that we are ready to accept as of universal validity the standards and scales of value set up by the narrowest-minded and most loudly voiced among us. We strain our energies and bend our wills in pursuit of ends that have only the tiniest bearing on our happiness or on the true desires of our souls.

In an address to young people given by Dean Inge, at St. Paul's Cathedral the other day, he warned his hearers against what he called the characteristic signs of middle age, "the desire for money, for power, and, above all things, for security."

More Realism Needed.

It cannot be claimed that this common attitude of mind, which is by no means confined to middle-age, leads other than rarely to even temporary happiness and content—to real health in the true meaning of that word.

Fine and healthy living needs but a relatively simple material basis; and though even that may, in our disordered civilisation, not always be within the power of the individual to secure, those who possess it make but small use of the solid ground on which they stand.

Most of us are, without necessity, too regardless of the impulse and the opportunity of the moment. "If you neglect the moment, if you cut off your fibrous roots, what but a languishing life is to be expected."

Introspection Not Morbid.

I believe that the life of every one of us could, straight away, be made fuller, happier, healthier and more worthy of us, if we would but be more realistic in our attitude. We hear a lot about morbid introspection these days, and we have come to take it for granted that introspection is itself a morbid thing. But every truly successful man, every practical philosopher, knows otherwise. If we look into our own hearts and observe without prejudice our true inclinations, our desires and our aspirations, we can but realise the small use we make of our opportunities, the irrelevance of most of our obsessions and consequent worries, and the comparatively trifling part that material things, beyond a bare sufficiency, play in the winning of happiness and health.



"Now hush, Pa, you know very well I'd rather have everything done before they get here. Those girls would only be in the way."

CONVERSION LOAN SCHEME

(Continued from Page 1.)

will not be tenderable for Estate Duties and there will be no Depreciation Fund, under which the Government now must provide £2,500,000 monthly when the market price of War Loan falls below the issue price.

This means an incalculable gain, besides the saving of £30,000,000 annually. It is estimated that from £150,000,000 to £200,000,000 is held abroad. If holders decline to convert, there is no cause for worry, as there will be ample time before December 1st to re-finance any portion not converted.

THIRD OF INTERNAL DEBT.

The total Internal Debt outstanding on March 31st was £3,829,894,000, so that the conversion operation applies to one-third of the total Internal Debt of Britain.

Interest and management of the National Debt was estimated in the Budget in April last to cost £276,000,000 in the current financial year.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

THE PRELIMINARY MOVE.

To-day's reduction of the bank rate from 2½ to 2% was the eighth reduction this year, the rate having come down from 6% at which it was fixed when Britain suspended the gold standard last September. The present rate is the lowest figure for 35 years. The reduction had been widely anticipated and has caused general satisfaction.

Gilt-edged stocks rose again to-day and left off firm.—*British Wireless.*

PRINCE'S CHILL NOT SERIOUS

KING'S DOCTOR IN ATTENDANCE

London, June 30. H. R. H. the Prince of Wales is remaining in bed with a chill, apparently contracted yesterday at Nottingham, where, in his capacity as Patron of the National Council of Social Service, he paid a number of visits to various social welfare centres.

The Prince flew last night from Nottingham to Fort Belvedere, Sunningdale, his country home. On arrival, he felt unwell and Sir Stanley Hewett, the King's Doctor, motored from London to see him and ordered him to stay in bed. Sir Stanley saw the Prince again to-day, but the illness is not serious, and no bulletins will be issued.—*British Wireless.*

WIMBLEDON

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Gore's success in 1909, twenty-three years ago!

OPEN GAME.

Vines and Austin have never met and forecasts of the result must be based upon comparisons which cannot be regarded as at all reliable. One fact stands out. Both Austin and Vines are playing at the top of their form. Austin, despite his two illnesses during the winter, is fitter than ever before. He has "filled out" and his stamina has improved remarkably.

"I am really fit," he declared recently, "and I really believe that 1932 may be my year."

The Queen, accompanied by Prince George, watched the tennis to-day.

Results: Austin beat Sato, 7-5, 6-2, 6-1. Vines beat Crawford, 6-2, 6-1, 6-3. Mrs. Moody beat Miss Healey, 6-3, 6-0.

—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

PRINCE ILL.

UNABLE TO ATTEND DINNER TO OTTAWA DELEGATES

London, June 30. The Prince of Wales is suffering from a chill and was unable to attend a farewell dinner to the Ottawa delegates at London to-night.

His condition is not serious however.—*Reuter.*

MISSION'S WELCOME.

PRINCE TO ENTERTAIN PARTY IN JAPAN

Mukden, June 30. The Lytton Commissioners left for Seoul at 11 a.m. on route for Tokyo, where they expect to arrive on July 4. Prince and Princess Chichibu will invite them to dinner at the Akasaka Palace on July 7.—*Reuter.*

LEAGUE TENNIS

RUNJAHN COUSINS LOSE TO CHINESE PAIR

The Chinese Recreation Club yesterday scored a convincing victory over the Indian Recreation Club in the "A" Division of the tennis league by seven sets to two. The Indians have been champions in this division for a number of years, and the victory of the Chinese is therefore all the more meritorious.

The surprise of the evening was the defeat of the cousins, S. A. and H. D. Runjahn, who have long held sway in doubles championships in the Colony, by the Chinese Interport pair, Ho Ka-lau and Yew Man-kit. The only reason that can be attributed to the defeat of the Indian pair is that they could not stand the strain of the three sets. Only on Wednesday they had participated in the Mixed Doubles against the U. S. R. C. and had gone through some gruelling tennis, and it was evident yesterday that they were labouring under the strain.

However, this does not detract from the victory of the Chinese pair, who played exceedingly well, a forte of their play being high lobs, which kept the Runjahns on the move all the time. The volleying of the Chinese pair was also brilliant. The Indian pair also volleyed well, but lacked sting in their shots.

Cassumbhoy and Razack, from whom much was expected, totally failed to come up to expectations and went down all three sets, as did A. A. Runjahn and Curreen.

By virtue of this victory, the Chinese have strengthened their chances of winning the shield, while their "B" and "C" Divisions are also fancied for the other two shields.

Score: M. K. Lo and M. W. Lo (C. R. C.) lost to S. A. and H. D. Runjahn, 1-6; beat J. A. Cassumbhoy and I. M. A. Razack, 6-2; beat A. A. Runjahn and J. S. A. Curreen, 6-1.

Ho Ka-lau and Yew Man-kit (C. R. C.) beat S. A. and H. D. Runjahn, 6-3; beat Cassumbhoy and Razack, 6-2; beat Runjahn and Curreen, 6-1.

Lee Wai-long and Tsui Wai-pui (C. R. C.) lost to S. A. and H. D. Runjahn, 1-6; beat Cassumbhoy and Razack, 6-2; beat Runjahn and Curreen, 6-3.

"C" DIVISION.

Army T. C. Defeat Filipino Club at Sookunpoo.

Playing on the home courts, the Army Tennis Club gained an overwhelming victory over the Filipino Club, eight sets to one.

Score: G. J. Mitchell and I. Jarman (A. T. C.) beat M. J. Rull and S. A. Hamid, 6-2; beat H. A. Ribeiro and M. A. Sousa, 6-1; beat J. M. Cruz and F. Torres, 6-3.

J. Norris and R. Lewis (A. T. C.) drew with Rull and Hamid, 6-6; beat Ribeiro and Sousa, 6-3; beat Cruz and Torres, 6-3.

F. E. Mathews and W. Davis (A. T. C.) drew with Rull and Hamid, 6-6; beat Ribeiro and Sousa, 6-3; beat Cruz and Torres, 6-3.

S.C. NIGHT FETE.

V. R. C. TEAM WINS RELAY RACE

Affording an evening of aquatic sports of the most entertaining nature, the South China Athletic Association's night fete organized last evening at the North Point swimming pavilion turned out to be a successful event. The contestants, including visitors representing the V.R.C., South Wales Borderers and the Chinese Bathing Club, participated in their events with much keenness.

The V. R. C. team won the 200 metres relay race in the excellent time of 2 min. 4 sec. after a good race with the S.C.A.A. representatives. In a water polo match played between the South Wales Borderers and the S.C.A.A. the latter won with the score of 3-1.

Results.

200 metres variety race (for girls).—Yeung Shau-ling, Yuen Pui-han, Yeung Kow-wah and Leung Wing-han.

200 metres men's relay race.—Leung Yun-lung, Mok Nan-shing, Lau Hung-chu and Wong Shiu-chung.

200 metres relay race (open to the Colony).—V.R.C., 1; S.C.A.A., 2; C.B.C., 3.

200 metres relay race (for girls).—S.C.A.A.

100 metres apple race.—Wong Shiu-chung, Lau Hung-chu and Chu Fook-in.

50 metres girls novice.—Sze To Shuk-kay, 1; Yeung Sui-chen, 2; Wong Hoi-nan, 3.

100 metres obstacle race.—Chu Fook-in, 1; Chiu Che-ching, 2; Lau Hung-chu, 3.

50 metres blindfold race (for girls).—Yeung Shau-ling, 1; Yuen Pui-han, 2.

Egg and spoon race.—Leung Yun-lung, 1; Wong Luk-pui, 2; Wong Shiu-chung, 3.

The duck catching game resulted in the prize being won by Chiu Che-ching.

Tuesday's Mishap.

The manager of the swimming department writes, with reference to the report of the mishap the other night, "Will you be so kind as to correct the statement that it was due to overloading. On further investigation the electricians have discovered that it was due to the dampening of the earth connexion as the result of the heavy rainfall. I would be very much obliged if you would also add the fact that our Pavilion is a semi-concrete structure and every precaution is taken against an outbreak of fire."

TRIBUTES TO MR. CREASY

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL SPEECHES

PUBLIC WORKS

The Legislative Council of Hongkong said good-bye to the Director of Public Works, the Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy after the formal business of yesterday's meeting had been concluded.

Addressing the Council, Mr. Southern said:—Before we meet again we shall have lost the service of one of our most distinguished members, and I feel I must take this opportunity to say farewell to the Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy, C.B.E., the Director of Public Works.

After a distinguished career of over twenty-six years in Ceylon, during a large part of which I had the pleasure of being associated with Mr. Creasy in his work, Mr. Creasy arrived in Hongkong in June, 1923, and for over nine years, with only one break for home leave, he has administered the largest of our departments with unswerving loyalty to the Government, with satisfaction to the public, and with distinction to himself. (Applause.)

He had early experience of the difficulties in store for him here, for he arrived only a day or two after the great typhoon of 1923 to find five vessels sunk in the harbour, several vessels ashore and immense damage to property on land. I was not in Hongkong at the time, but I have no doubt he tackled the difficult situation which faced him with that calm and imperturbable efficiency which has been one of his greatest assets in the difficult times through which Hongkong has passed in the last few years.

A Time of Expansion.

Mr. Creasy arrived at a moment of expansion when the Treasury was overflowing and new schemes were being projected in every direction. He has passed through alternate periods of contraction due to the strike and boycott, and the fall of the dollar, and of expansion as the Colony recovered after each depression, factors which have added very considerably to the difficulties of his position.

But throughout his whole time, in spite of the periodic depressions, rapid development, both public and private, has been going on in the Colony, and Mr. Creasy leaves a very different Victoria and a still more different Kowloon from those which greeted him in August 1923.

A Creditable List.

It would weary this Council were I to attempt to refer in any detail to the many large public works which have been carried out under Mr. Creasy's supervision; they may be found summarized in the statistical abstract, a new edition of which, carried down to 1930, has recently been published, and they make very interesting and instructive reading. But it comes as a shock to a newcomer who sees the stream of cars on Stubbs Road to realize that there was no motor road to the Peak when Mr. Creasy arrived, and no direct motor road via Wong Nei Chong to Repulse Bay. These roads have become a part of our daily life, and we can hardly picture the Colony without them. Wherever one turns there is evidence of material progress to which Mr. Creasy and his department have contributed. Kowloon has grown from a small inlet to a large city and is still growing. Wireless communication has developed almost beyond belief, new buildings, new roads, new piers and new reclamations are visible on every side, while on the less spectacular side of his work much progress has been made in the enforcement of better building construction, specially in the matter of tenement houses.

It is perhaps in the matter of the water supply that Mr. Creasy will find the greatest satisfaction when he looks back over his career in Hongkong. The Shing Mun first section, including the Cross Harbour Pipe, the Aberdeen Reservoir and the Kowloon Byewash Reservoir have all been completed by him, and above all he has the great pleasure of knowing that the second section of the Shing Mun scheme, for which he has worked so hard, has been approved and is now being commenced. He must also find much satisfaction in the completion of the long drawn out Praya East reclamation, in the commencement of the long delayed new Gaoi, and in the rapid progress of the Vehicular Ferry Scheme, which he just fails to see completed.

A Proud Record.

I have mentioned but a very few of the works undertaken during Mr. Creasy's regime. Many more will occur to you. It is a record of which any Engineer may justly be proud, and I congratulate Mr. Creasy on his achievements. Moreover with high technical efficiency Mr. Creasy has combined an attractive personality which has made service with him a pleasure

LINDBERGH CASE

KIDNAPPER OF BABY NOW UNDER ARREST

New York June 30. The arrest of Norman Whittaker, described as a "dangerous killer," the actual kidnapper of the Lindbergh baby, ends a phase of the case involving the payment of \$3104,000 ransom for the return of the baby to its parents.

Gaston Means, who introduced the kidnapper to Mrs. McLean, the wife of the publisher of the *Washington Post* and the *Cincinnati Enquirer*, and received from her the \$3104,000, has already been sentenced to prison.—*Reuter's Special Service.*

LOCAL BILLIARDS.

TEAM TOURNAMENT BEING ORGANISED

Under the leadership of the management of the Empress Hotel Billiards Saloon of Connaught Road Central, a team billiards tournament open to all foreign and Chinese enthusiasts of the game will take place shortly.

Mr. Wong Kwong-tin has kindly promised to present to the winning team an attractive silver cup, while the management of the billiard saloon of the Empress Hotel undertakes to present an appropriate prize to the runners-up. Mr. Chan Kwok-ching will give a prize to the individual player who scores the highest break during the tournament. Leading sports club in Hongkong have been approached for support.

to us all. I take this opportunity of recording my deep personal obligation to him for his loyal service and unflinching help during our six and a half years' service together in Hongkong.

Sir Henry Pollock's Remarks.

Sir Henry Pollock spoke on behalf of the Unofficial members.

"The unofficial members of this Council, whilst associating themselves with the remarks of Your Excellency, desire to add their tribute to the departing Director of Public Works," he said.

"Perhaps the most outstanding characteristics of the Hon. Mr. Creasy, apart from the ability with which he has tackled his heavy and responsible work, are his good-natured and cheerful readiness and willingness, at all times, both in and outside of this Council, to explain the details of any pending Public Works, and his general accessibility to the granting of interviews.

Mr. Creasy's Reply.

The Hon. Mr. Creasy was heartily received when he rose to reply. His first words were of thanks for the sentiments expressed. "It is indeed a great reward and satisfaction on the termination of a long career in the Government service," he said "to receive from you, Sir, and the Senior Unofficial Member of this Council, such appreciation of the efforts made by the Department which I have had the honour to direct to keep pace with the rapid development that has taken place since my arrival in the Colony.

"Though the water situation has lagged behind, it is well to know that such works as have already been completed will all prove to be steps in the natural sequence of the waterworks extensions of the Colony, so that the second section of the Shing Mun Scheme, now sanctioned by the Secretary of State, will permit of a fuller use being made of existing works and thus will hasten to make up the leeway that has occurred.

"Your Excellency has mentioned the improvements effected in the construction of the new tenement buildings of the Colony. These are in some measure due to the desire of the people themselves for better living conditions. The introduction of the new Buildings Ordinance, recently submitted in draft form, will help in the maintenance of these improvements and will make it more difficult for slum property to continue to exist.

The Colony's Future.

"It is difficult to realise what the future has in store for Hongkong, but there is little doubt that its expansion will continue and under the wise guidance of this Council, its future prosperity should be assured.

"The kind allusions made to my wife in regard to her endeavours to assist in social welfare work will be very gratifying to her and on our departure from Hongkong your good wishes and appreciations are a great encouragement and satisfaction.

"Any successes that may be attributed to my efforts have only been made possible by the ever ready help and assistance at all times freely given by the honourable members representing the Chinese community, in addition to that always received from you, Sir, and my other colleagues. "It has been a great pleasure and honour to have been associated with this Council during my period of service in Hongkong."

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME OF RECORDED MUSIC

By Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.W.)

5-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European Programme.

7 p.m. Mail Notice, etc.

7.3-8.30 p.m.

A Programme of Victor and HMV records kindly supplied by Messrs. Moutrie and Co., and Tsang Fook Piano Co.

7.3-7.42 p.m. Operatic.

Orchestra—Die Fledermaus—The Bat—You and Me (Strauss).

Chicago Symphony Orchestra directed by Mr. Frederick Stock 1481.

Song—Cavalleria Rusticana—Well You Know, Good Mother (Macagnoli).

Song—Tosca—Love and Music (Puccini).

Band—Lucia-Sextette (Donizetti).

Band—Trovatore—Miserere (Verdi).

Song—Prince Igor—Song of Prince Galitsky (Borodin).

Song—Boris Godunow—In the Town of Kazan (Moussorgsky).

Band—Carmen—Selection (Bizet).

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FREEMAN'S WIZARDRY

17 WICKETS IN ONE MATCH

WARWICK LOSE TO KENT

WAZIR ALI AGAIN

London, July 1.
"TICH" FREEMAN, the Kent wizard spin bowler, is this season more devastating than ever. His latest achievement against Warwickshire, when Kent won by 74 runs in two days, was to take 17 wickets for 92 runs—an amazing performance. His figures read:
First innings: 8 wickets for 31 runs.
Second innings: 9 wickets for 61 runs.

In direct contrast to the recent windfalls of runs which have been the happy lot of batsmen throughout the country, this match was productive of only 620 runs for 20 wickets.

Bowlers held the upper hand throughout, for, in addition to Freeman's feat, Foster, the Warwick trundler, enjoyed a splendid match, taking a total of 11 wickets for 163 runs. In Kent's first innings he captured 6 for 81, whilst Mayer secured the remainder for five runs apiece, and in his second period with the ball Foster sent back six batsmen for 82 runs.

LIGHTING K. O.

GERMAN WINS MIDDLEWEIGHT TITLE IN 22 SECONDS

Valencia, June 26.
During a match for the European middleweight championship, the German challenger Hausner won by a knockout the title from his holder, the Spaniard Martinez de Alara, after a 22 second bout.

This rapid victory will be certainly compared in pugilistic circles with that of the French boxer Carpentier over the Englishman Joe Beckett, in 1919, at London. That bout was also for the European middleweight title, which was wrested by Carpentier within 16 seconds, after having giving exactly three blows.

Kent scored 174 and 169, and Warwickshire were dismissed for 129 and 148.

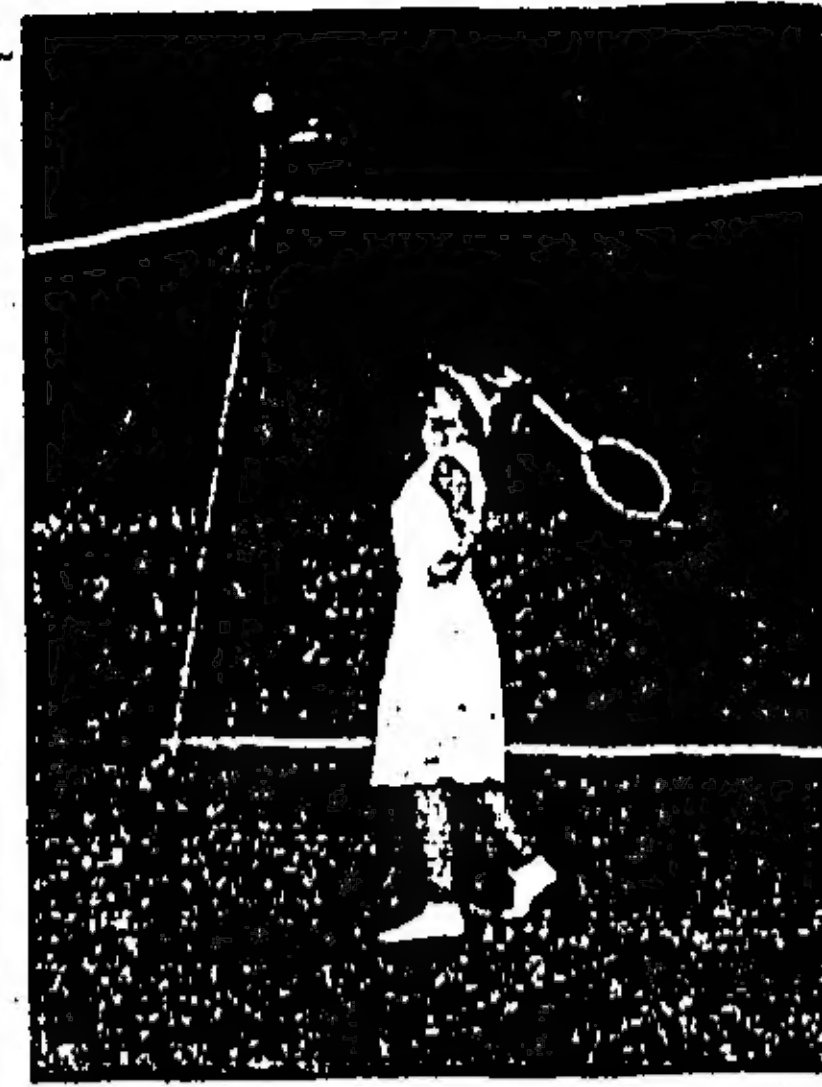
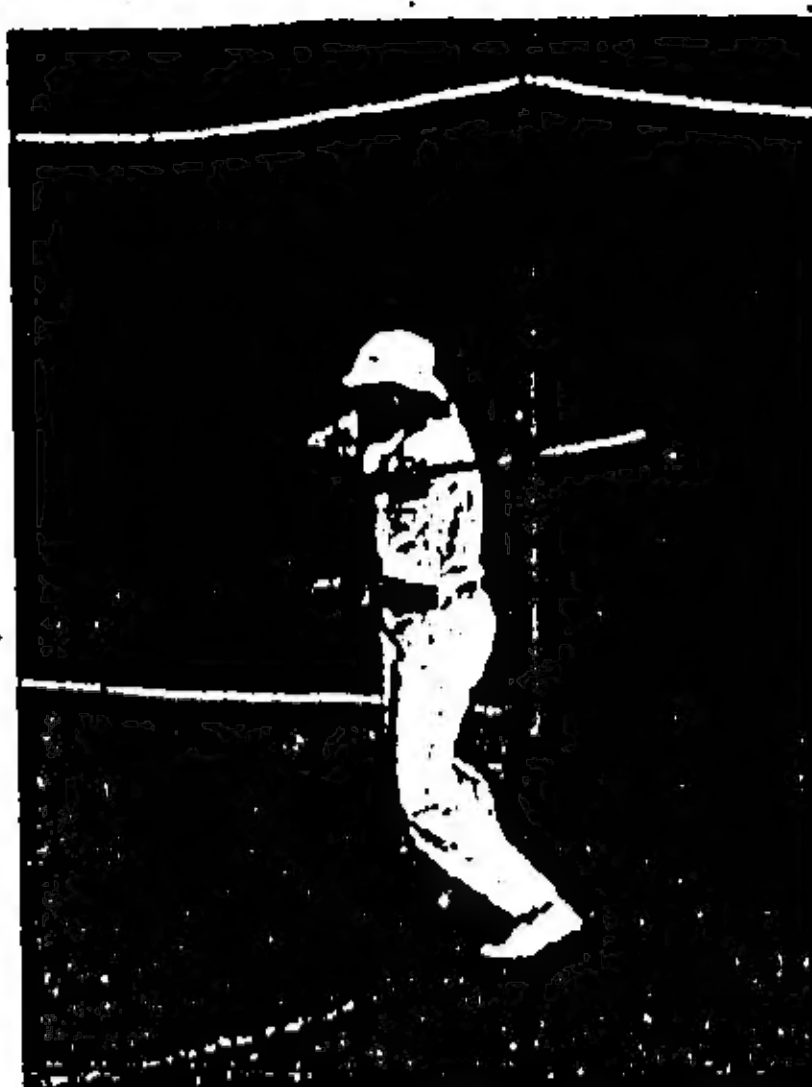
WAZIR ALI'S CENTURY.

In a two-day match with Oxfordshire, All-India had to rest content with a draw though they enjoyed by far the better of the game.

In their only innings, the visitors rattled up 373, Wazir Ali batting with characteristic freedom to compile 155.

Oxfordshire could do little against the well-directed Indian attack, Amar Singh in particular proving very effective. He took 5 wickets for 50 runs and was chiefly responsible for Oxfordshire's dismissal for 165.—*Reuter.*

LEAGUE TENNIS PLAYERS IN ACTION



THESE descriptive action photographs were taken during the league tennis match between the Indian Recreation Club and the United Services Recreation Club on Wednesday, when the I.R.C. holders of the Mixed Doubles championship, were decisively beaten by the Services, whose lady players were the deciding factor in their favour.—
Photos by Ming Yuen.

LURE OF HENLEY

GERMAN CREWS EXPECTED TO OFFER CHIEF CHALLENGE TO ENGLAND IN DIAMOND SCULLS

Berlin, June 24.

Part of the German rowing crew for the Olympic games in Los Angeles left here to-day for England to compete in the Henley Regatta. Herr Buntz and Herr Boetzelen will compete in the Diamond Sculls races, while four others will make a bid for the Stewards' Challenge Cup.

It is expected that the chief overseas challenge to British supremacy at Henley, will come from Germany. The River Club of Berlin, which made such a good showing last year against the London Rowing Club, will again send an eight to take part in the grand Challenge Cup.

Foreign entries from other countries will not be so numerous. Guye, of the London Rowing Club, the Wingfield champion, is a dark horse. Although he has not yet been successful on the Henley course there is no reason why he should not win there if he acquires the lighter action so essential to quick starting.

At least two German scullers are expected to compete for the Diamond Sculls. H. Buttz is one of them. He rowed No. 3 in the Berliner River club's eight last year. George von Oppal is another. He arrived in England recently and has been practising on the ideway for some days at Putney.

Buttz is reputed to be stronger than any German sculler who has competed at Henley since the war, and the German eight is expected to equal last year's boat.

DIAMOND SCULLS.

There is every likelihood that England will regain the Diamond Sculls this year, despite the German opposition. T. A. Brocklebank will start prime favourite, in the absence of Bob Pearce, the Australian who won the sculls last summer.

Brocklebank is the old Cambridge stroke and president and has been showing very good form on the river. It was he who put up the closest race against Pearce. Brocklebank is likely to meet a very sturdy opposition for although there are no scullers of superlative merit the average standard is very high indeed.

Moreover the foreign competition will be strong. Herr von Oppel, of Germany, has been sculling with Eric Phelps, the younger brother of the world champion, and it is likely that Oppel's com-

patriot, Boetz, will also make his first appearance at Henley. Guye, of the London Rowing Club, the Wingfield champion, is a dark horse. Although he has not yet been successful on the Henley course there is no reason why he should not win there if he acquires the lighter action so essential to quick starting.

Horse Racing Invention

Moving Starting Gate Demonstrated

AUSTRALIAN'S NEAT IDEA

Mr. W. R. Dalton, an Australian of vast experience as owner, trainer, breeder, and rider, is responsible for an invention which may play an important part in racing in the not distant future. This takes the form of a moving starting-gate, which was demonstrated in London before members of the Jockey Club, race course officials, and others intimately associated with the sport, and these were favourably impressed by what they saw.

The idea embodied in the proposed new method of starting is, briefly, as follows:—The "gate," which runs on mono rails, is

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GERMAN TENNIS TITLES

MENZEL WINS SINGLES

MISS JACOBS UNLUCKY

A FINE MATCH

Roderich Menzel and Frl. Hilde Krahwinkel emerged as victors of the championship of the German capital during one of the warmest Whitesundtides that Berlin has ever enjoyed. Menzel won the singles championship also in 1931, and thus his name is now engraved for the second time on the tablet which the Rot-Weiss Club has affixed to the wall in one of the rooms of its club-house in memory of the former German champion, Hans Moldenhauer, who was killed in an automobile accident last year.

BRILLIANT WINNER.

The new champion, by birth a German Bohemian and at the head of the Czechoslovakian Davis Cup team, was at the top of his form. Not even Brugnon could win a set from him in the final, and Gottfried von Cramm, German's young Davis Cup player, succumbed to him by the same score with which Brugnon was defeated—6-3 6-3 6-4. Brugnon, who had high hopes of becoming champion of Berlin, gave a splendid exhibition of his skill at the net and in middle court, but Menzel overwhelmed him with his service, and drove him to the back-court with top-spin drives. The Frenchman's speed was of no avail against Menzel's assaults.

LADIES SURPRISE.

The first surprise of the ladies' singles was the defeat of Miss Helen Jacobs, America's second best woman player, by the Polish contender, Mlle. Jadwiga Jedzejowska, who won by 6-2 4-6 6-4. In the third set Miss Jacobs took four of the first five games and looked like a winner, but the Pole suddenly changed her tactics, and began feeding her with high and slow balls, which threw the American completely off her stride. Mlle. Jedzejowska won the sympathies of the Berlin public. Their experts are inclined to see in her the coming woman champion, although she still has some way to go, for while she was able to defeat in the preliminary rounds Frl. Marie Luise Horn, a Wiesbaden girl of great talent but still lacking in tournament experience, she was defeated in two sets by Frl. Krahwinkel.

THE BEST MATCH.

The best match of the whole tournament, however, was that for the men's doubles championship, which was won by the German Davis Cup players, Frenn and von Cramm, in a five-set contest against Brugnon and Du Plaix. As a result of this victory, Germany will be represented by these two men in the Davis Cup doubles. The Red-White tournament has long been the chief social event of the Whitesundtide in Berlin. The spectators this year included Sir Horace Rumbold, the British Ambassador, the Danish Minister Zable and many compatriots of the foreign participants in the tournament.

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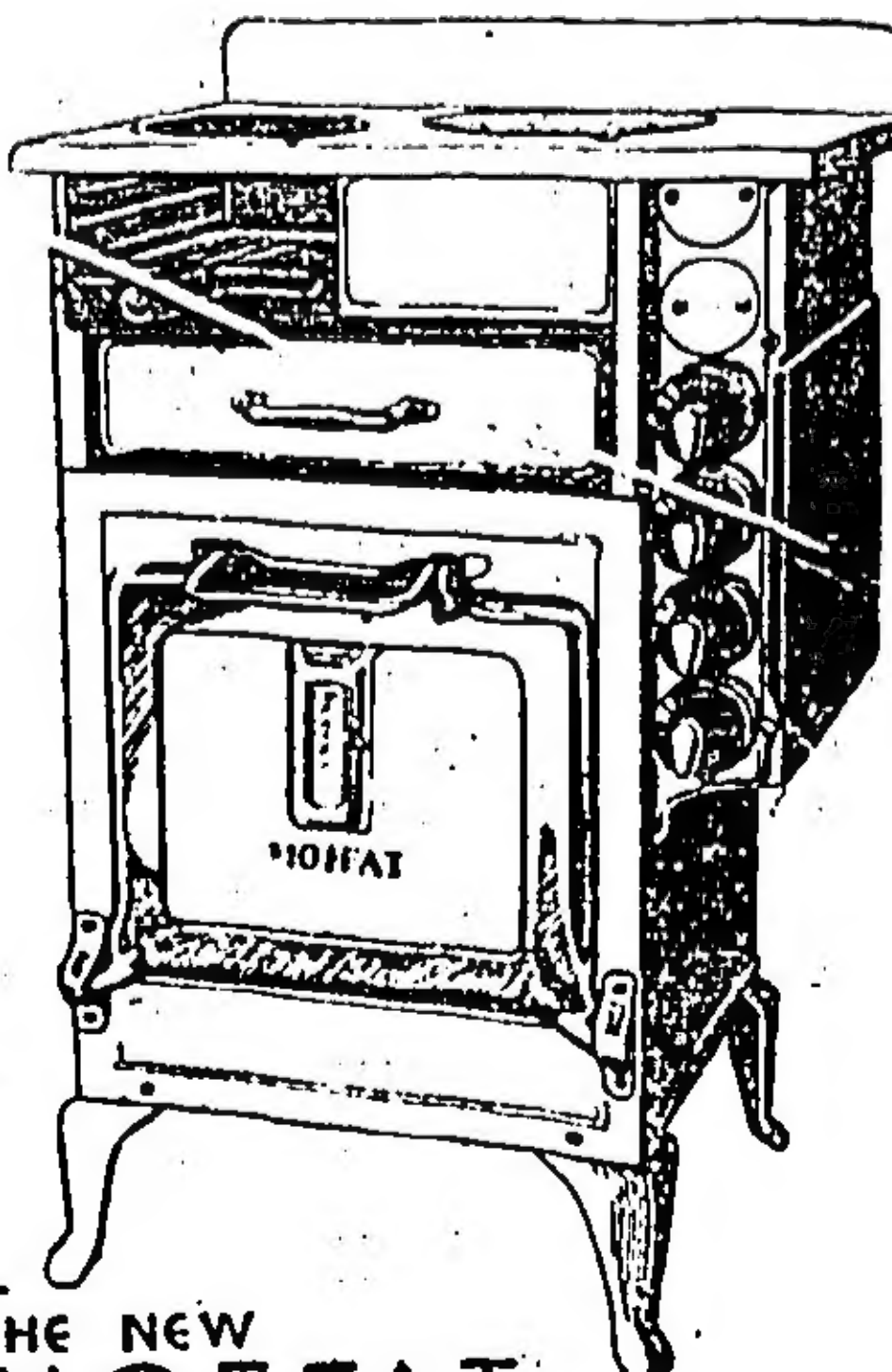


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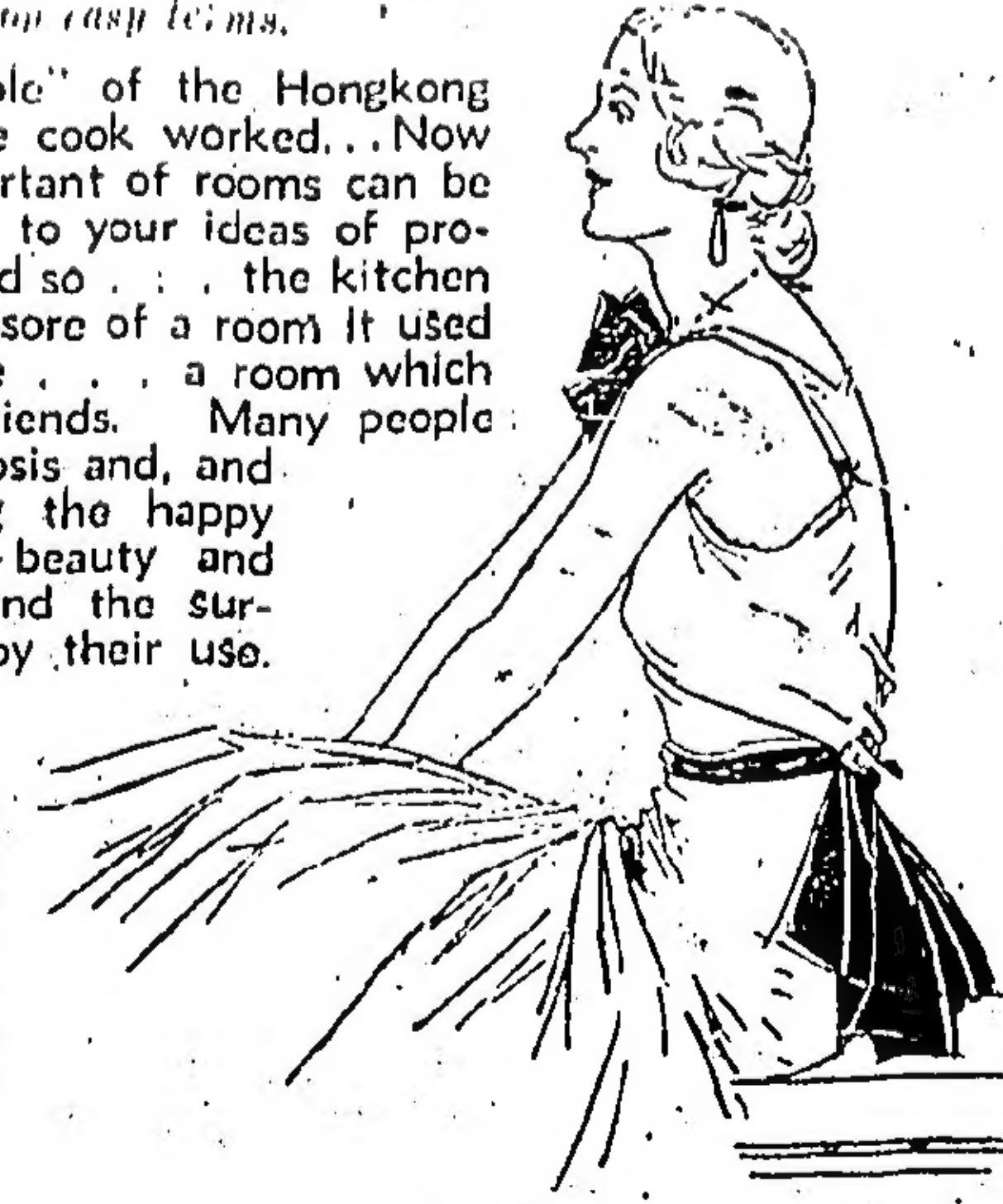


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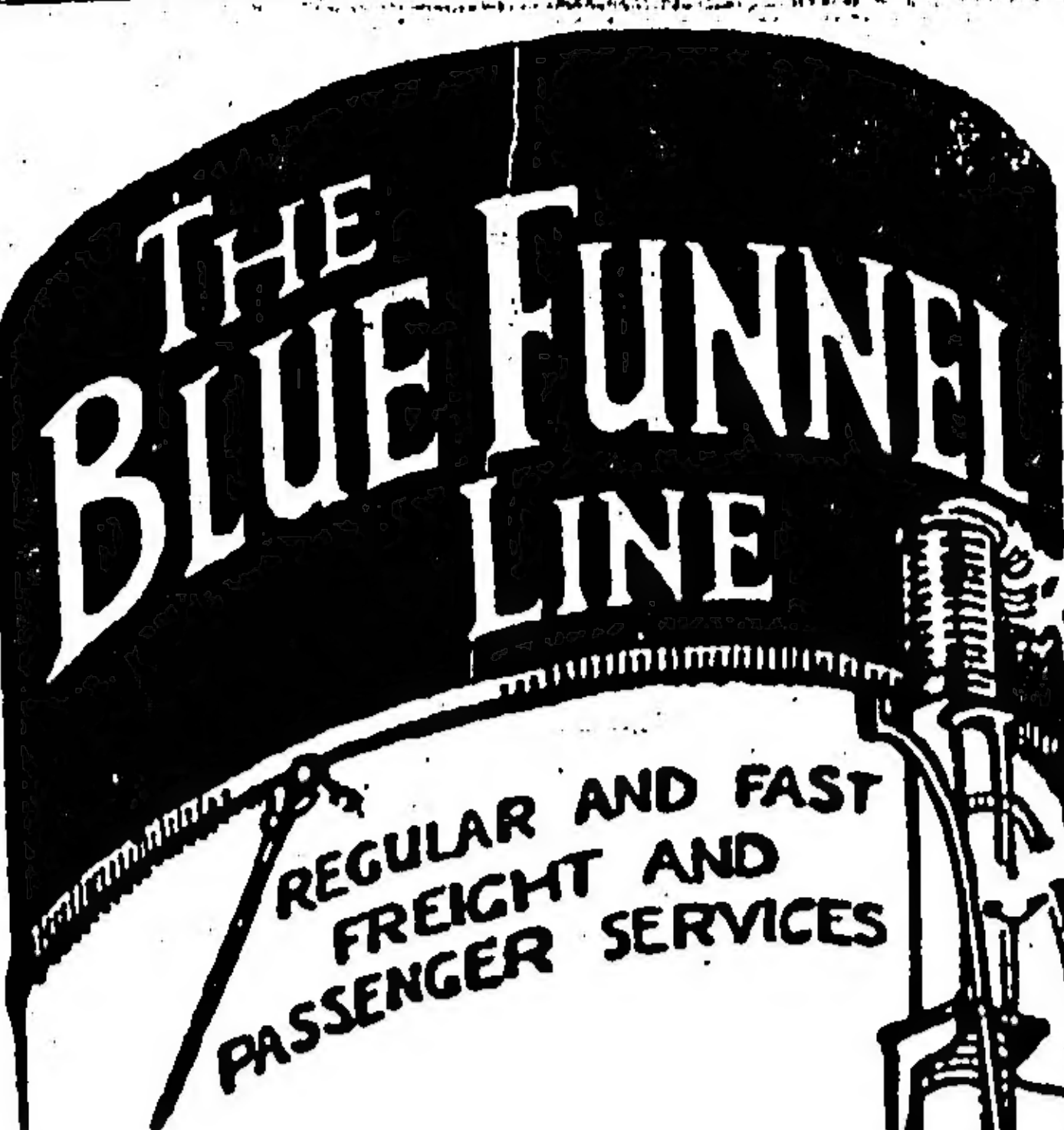
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MAN HUNTERY

(Continued from Page 3.)

"Come along," she said crisply. "I'm ready."
She took Dum-Dum arm. She looked gay, even gallant. Denise, rushing in a moment later with Bob Dunbar at her heels, stared at the transfiguration. They made a great clamour in the hall. Three or four older couples, sedately waiting to the strains of an old-fashioned tune, turned to glance at them disapprovingly. Susan's laugh rang out at something Dum-Dum had said. Ben glowered.
"Hurry up, everybody," shrilled Denise. "We want to get away before the air of this tomb gets us." She linked her fingers in Bob's. Susan managed to avoid his glance. With desperate intentness she answered Dum-Dum's sallies. So they thought she hadn't any fight in her, did they? She'd show them!
Deliberately, Bob Dunbar detached himself from Denise's grasp and walked over to Susan. He held something out and the girl saw it was a flask, incredibly long and flat.
"Have one?" he challenged.
"You need it."
She put out her hand but before she could touch the flask Ben's long arm shot out and seized it. Ben said, loudly and forbiddingly, "She doesn't want it— you fool, you!"
What followed was all a sort of nightmare. There was a tussle in the course of which the flask clattered to the floor. Someone said sharply, "Get 'em outside." Denise screamed and the boy, Dum-Dum, pulled the wrestlers apart. A club attendant rushed up, with a scared white face and closed the doors on the dancers.
Then suddenly they were all out beneath the stars, Susan shaking more with emotion than with cold and Ben holding his jaw and looking murderous.
"Take Bob away," Denise ordered. "He'll kill that fool." She glared at Ben. "If Daddy hears about this I'll be wrecked. I won't have a prayer."
"Just a minute." That was Bob, oddly sober now. "I'm sorry. My error." He put out his hand to his adversary but his look was directed at Susan. Ben, after an instant's hesitation, took the hand. The crowd melted together again, moved by a common impulse of relief. Denise was issuing voluble directions. Arnold and Sonia and Dum-Dum in that car. She would drive with Bob. She looked around. Dunbar had melted into the shadows. And where was Susan?
The youth, Dum-Dum, lifted his eyebrows and put a hand under Denise's elbow.
"Where are those two?" Denise demanded, jellily regal and clutching her white fur wrap around her slim figure. The boy shrugged. Denise stamped her foot and someone in the big car sounded a horn sharply in the night stillness.
"Let's move," Dum-Dum said easily. "I hear Bob's engine down the hill. They'll be trailing us."
There seemed nothing else to do, Denise, her head high, stepping in and ruced the engine. They roared away.
Meanwhile Susan sat still and cold in the roadster's front seat. The man at her side cupped his hand over a cigarette. In the match's flare she could see his stern young profile.
"How did I get here?" she asked. "I feel as if—as if a hurricane had picked me up."
"I was it," Bob Dunbar supplied easily. He seemed quite sober now and there was a steely glint in his eye. "I kidnapped you. Now we're going to drive around a bit while I find out what this is all about."
Susan felt unaccountably happy. "I don't know what you mean," she told him.
"Yes, you do." His voice was grim. "I want to know if it's true—that you're engaged to this lad who just wallowed me."
"Who told you that?"
"I give you one guess," said Bob Dunbar.
(To be Continued.)

REDS ROUTED

CHINESE SOVIET'S SEAT REPORTED TAKEN

Hankow, June 30.
Since his arrival, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek has been busy holding a series of conferences with the civil and military provincial leaders.
The anti-Communist drive is gaining momentum and several important victories are reported for the Government troops, who claim to have occupied Suchlapu in West Anhui, the seat of the so-called Soviet Government of China.
The Reds, who are reported to have suffered heavy casualties, retreated in disorder, pursued by the Government troops.—*Reuter's Special.*

AMERICANS RETURN.

31ST U. S. INFANTRY TO GO BANK TO STATION

Shanghai, June 30.
The 31st U. S. Infantry will embark and sail to-morrow for Manila aboard the U. S. Transport Republic, after more than four months on duty defending the International Settlement, to which they were despatched on orders from Washington soon after the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese war in Shanghai.
To-morrow the "Doughboys" will hold a farewell parade down Nanking Road and are likely to get a grand send off from all nationalities represented in the Settlement.—*Reuter.*

GERMAN POLITICS

REICH GOVERNMENT ASSERTING ITSELF

Berlin, June 30.
The Reich has thrown down the gauntlet to the two largest opposition parties by requesting the Prussian Minister of the Interior to suppress the Catholic and Socialist newspapers for five days each.
The *Vulke Zeitung* was guilty of attacking Herr Von Papen and the *Vorwarts* published a cartoon ridiculing the Reich Government.—*Reuter's Special Service.*

MINT CLOSES DOWN

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Hangchow, June 30.
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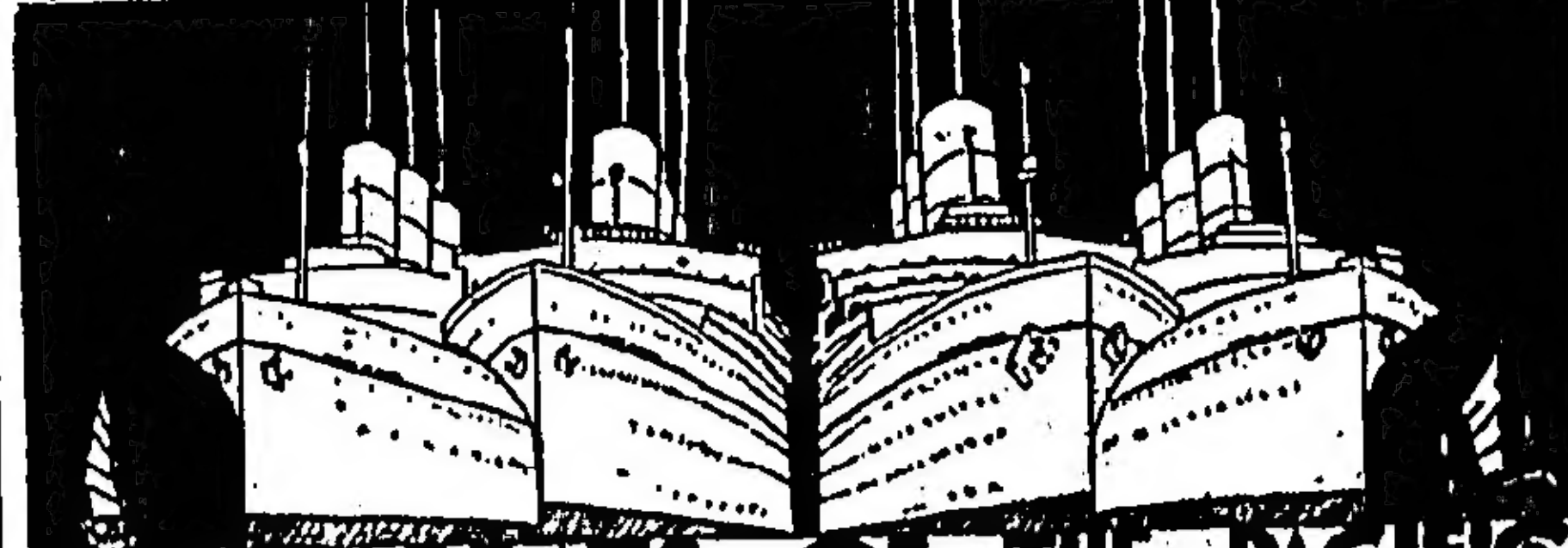
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SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL APPROVAL

The Legislative Council yesterday approved of Public Works Department Supplementary Estimates totalling \$746,950.

New tables of duties on liquors were also introduced by the Colonial Treasurer and approved.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G.) presided.

Supplementary Estimates.

The Colonial Treasurer moved: That this Council approve of the recommendations made by the Director of Public Works and laid before the Council and resolves that a sum of \$746,950, distributed as follows:

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be charged upon the Revenue and other funds of the Colony in addition to the sums already provided in the Estimates for 1932 for the purpose of carrying out these recommendations.

In explaining the resolution, the Colonial Treasurer said:

Honourable Members will recollect that on October 22 last, H. E. the Governor, in concluding the debate on the Estimates which were framed on the basis of a shilling dollar stated: "Should the dollar rise, the position will be more favourable and I hope in that event to explore after a few months the possibility of reinforcing certain maintenance votes and providing for additional extraordinary works."

The dollar has risen; the Treasury rates from January to June this year being from 1s/5.5/18d to 1s/3d. The object of this resolution, therefore, is to give effect to His Excellency's promise by placing further funds at the disposal of the Public Works Department for the current year. The proposals were laid unofficially before the Finance Committee of this Council in April last, approved by them and have now been sanctioned by the Secretary of State.

The Colonial Secretary seconded and the resolution was carried.

Liquor Duties.

On the motion of the Colonial Treasurer, the new tables of duties on liquors (previously published) were brought into effect.

"The only material change in the duties," said Mr. Taylor, "appears in Part IV Other Liquors" where the assessment is made in a more scientific manner—5 cents per gallon being charged for each one per cent of alcohol with a minimum charge of \$1.20 per gallon for liquors containing 24 per cent and less of alcohol. The rate of duty on 100 per cent alcohol has therefore been halved from \$10.00 to \$5.00 per gallon as it was found that the old rate bore too heavily on cheap perfumes of the Florida Water type, which appears to have been a flourishing business prior to the new duties which came into force in September last.

Part II (Chinese Type Liquor) and Part III (Japanese Type Liquor) have been amended by altering the minimum percentage of alcohol from 25% to 24% to bring them into line with Part IV.

The Colonial Secretary seconded and the resolution was carried.

OBITUARY

FAMOUS SOLDIER AND STATESMAN

London, June 30.

The Earl of Dudley has died in London after a week's illness. He married as second wife, Mrs. Lionel Monckton (Gertie Millar) a former favourite revue artiste.

His heir is Viscount Ednam, whose wife was killed in an air crash at Meopham, Kent, in 1920 with Lord Dufferin and Mrs. Loeffler.—*Reuter's Special Service.*

[William Humble Ward, soldier, statesman and 2nd Earl of Dudley, was born in May, 1867, and educated at Eton. He succeeded to the earldom and the estates of about 30,000 acres on the death of his father in 1885. On leaving Eton he travelled a great deal, going round the world and visiting the chief British Dominions as well as South America. Entering politics on his return, he was made Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade in 1895, remaining in that office till 1902 with the exception of a year during which he served in the South African war as A.A.G. to the Imperial Yeomanry. In 1902 he was appointed Lord Lieutenant of Ireland and during his four years of office proved to be one of the most popular viceroys that country had had for many years. He handled problems with sympathy and knowledge and at the end of his term was made chairman of the Royal Commission on Congestion in Ireland. In 1908 he was appointed Governor-General of Australia and in the three years he was there made himself as well liked as he had been in Ireland. When the war began, he was given command of the Worcestershire Yeomanry and served in Egypt and Gallipoli. For a time in 1915 he was commandant at Mudros and was then appointed to the headquarters staff of the 40th Division.

In 1924 he granted to the corporation of the town of Dudley a lease of Dudley Castle, the ancient home of his family. The lease, which was at a nominal rental, was accompanied by conditions providing for the inspection of the ruins and the use of the grounds by the public. At the elections of May, 1929, the successful local candidate was Oliver Baldwin, the Socialist son of the Conservative ex-Premier. To celebrate his victory a fête was held in the castle grounds by the Labour party and certain restrictions affecting the general public were imposed. The earl held that these constituted a breach of the trust and won an action which he brought against the corporation.

Dudley's first wife, a daughter of Charles Gurney, was drowned in 1920. In 1924 he married Mrs. Lionel Monckton, the talented actress known as Gertie Millar. In his later years he organised various matches between the best amateur and professional golfers.]

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Bills Passed.

The second and third reading stages of the Merchant Shipping Amendment Ordinance and the Crown Solicitors' Amendment Ordinance were passed without any major amendment.
The Council adjourned sine die.

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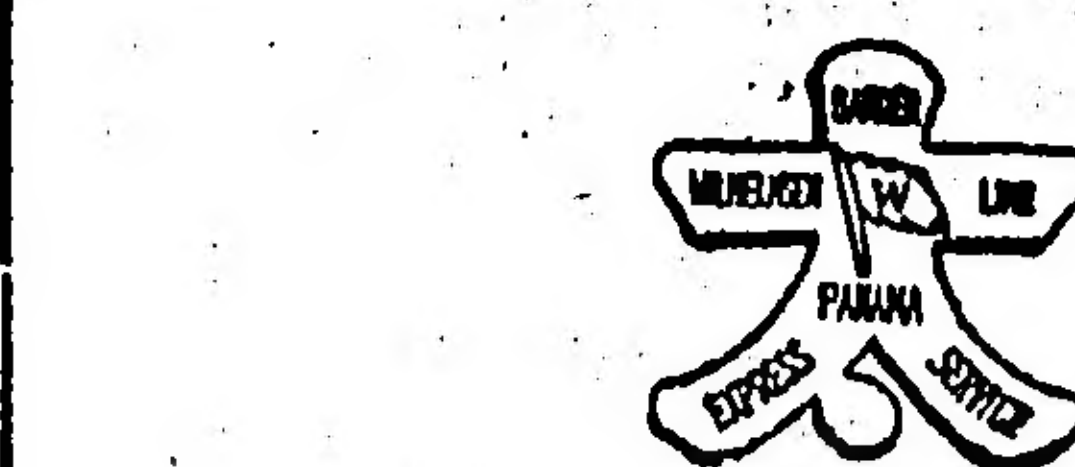
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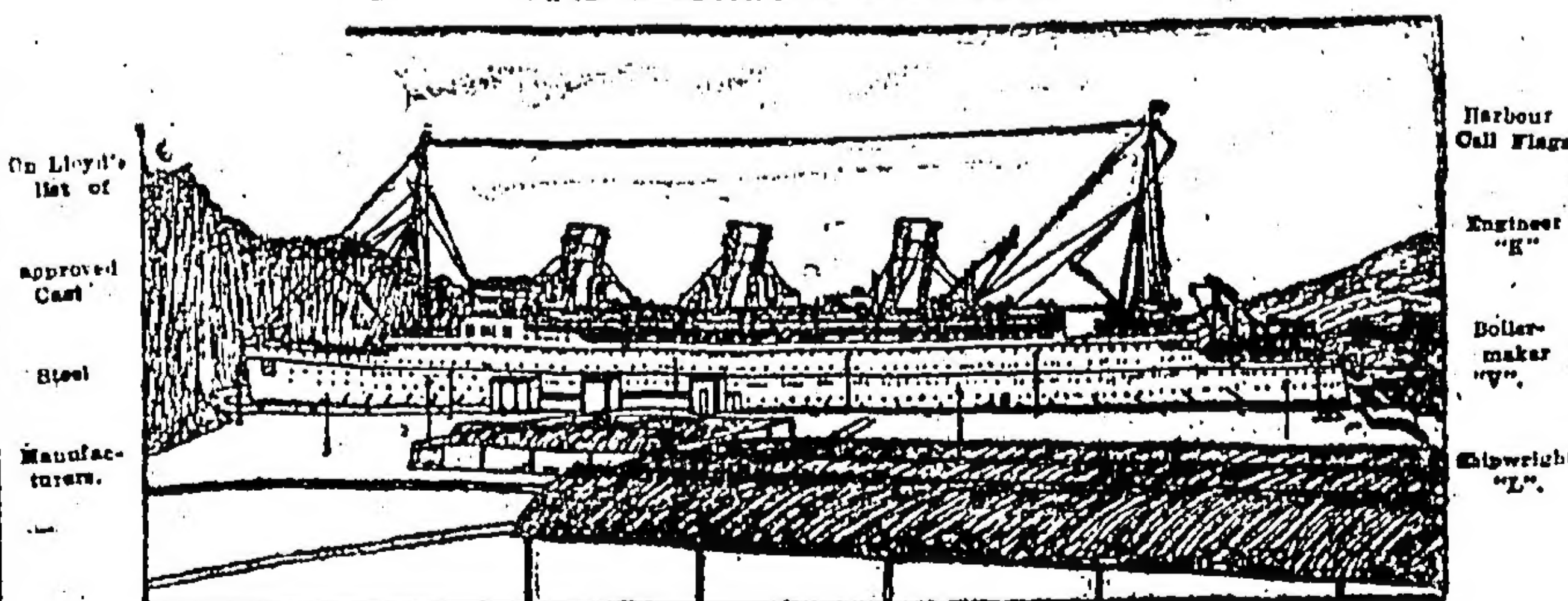
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INTERPORTERS AT DINNER

A. R. MINU PRESENTED
WITH BALL

Mr. A. R. Minu, the Indian Recreation Club cricket, who performed so well with the ball in the Interport with Shanghai, in which Hongkong were victorious, was presented with a ball suitably inscribed with the words, "A. R. Minu, Hongkong v. Shanghai, May 1932, 6 wickets for 49 runs," by Mr. E. J. R. Mitchell, captain of the Hongkong eleven at the Interport dinner given at the Hongkong Cricket Club last night.

A gathering of over fifty which included many post Interporters attended the dinner. The guests of honour were Messrs. E. J. R. Mitchell, A. C. Beck, G. R. Sayer, Captain A. C. Hamilton, Messrs. J. E. Richardson, E. F. Fincher, A. H. Madar, A. R. Minu, G. C. Burnett, R. S. W. Patterson, and J. McEllan. Mr. H. R. B. Hancock presided, and among the guests present were the Very Rev. Dean Swann and Mr. T. Hayward.

At the conclusion of the dinner, Mr. Hancock addressed those present, and congratulated Mr. Mitchell on his fine leadership of the team, and the eleven on its victory. He made special reference to A. H. Madar, A. R. Minu, and G. C. Burnett, who in their first Interport had acquitted themselves so creditably. He also made a passing reference to old time Indian and Parsee cricketers, who had done well in Interports.

Mr. Hancock then proposed the toast of the Hongkong team, which was duly honoured.

Mr. Mitchell, replying, thanked Mr. Hancock for the complimentary remarks he had made on the team and said it was only splendid team work which had carried them through. He thanked the members of the team for the excellent support they had given him, and also remarked on the splendid showing put up by A. H. Madar and Minu which gave them the victory. He then made the presentation of the ball to A. R. Minu.

Musical items by Messrs. G. W. True, Aquino, Gahagan, Holmes and Hyde Lay wound up a very successful dinner.

GENERAL TSAI IN CANTON

HONOURED BY MANY
FUNCTIONS

Canton, June 30. General Tsai Ting-kai was met on arrival yesterday by Generals Li Chun-jen, Heung Han-ping, Au Fong-po, Messrs. Teng Chak-yu, Lin Yun-kai, Shiao Fu-cheng, Liu Chi-wen and others. After leaving the station, he inspected the 19th Route Army under General

Eve of Ottawa Conference

London Dinner to
Delegates

London, June 30.

The condition of the Prince of Wales, who is confined to bed with a chill, is improving and the indisposition is not regarded as at all serious.

The Prince was not, however, able to preside at the Dominion Day dinner to-night in honour of the delegates who are attending the Ottawa Conference, when he was to have delivered an important speech.

CO-OPERATION URGED.

His brother, Prince George, acted in his place, and bidding the delegates Godspeed, expressed the opinion that it was of the utmost importance that far from taking any steps that might discourage foreign countries, we should make every effort at Ottawa to put heart into the world to concert measures in which other countries may later co-operate.

While recognising the difficulties, he went on, we must not allow misgivings to overwhelm us.

COLONIAL TRADE POLICY.

Asked if the Government had formulated a definite colonial trade policy for submission to the Ottawa Conference, the Under-Secretary for the Colonies, Sir Robert Hamilton, said in the Commons to-day that the Minister for the Colonies had been consulting with all the Colonial Governments and representatives in Britain of the various Colonial trade interests.

As a result of these discussions, a number of proposals had already been submitted to the Colonial Empire and the Dominion Governments have been invited to state what adjustments of the Colonial customs tariffs would be of real value to them.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

Tan Chi-shao. He then drove for an official tour of the city with General Tan Yick-him, Chief of Staff of the Military Headquarters. General Tan Chi-shao, and Mr. Wong He-lai, a Kuomintang leader in Canton. He later had lunch with General Chan Chai-long and other military officers at the Army Headquarters.

In the evening he was the guest of honour at the Provincial Government Building at a banquet given by the local officials and Kuomintang members. A reception will be held to-day at the Chung Shan Memorial Hall by the Canton people as a mark of respect for the gallant leader.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

DEATH OF MR. S. LACK

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Many residents will learn with the deepest regret of the death, which occurred in England on Wednesday, of Mr. Stewart Lack, former manager in Hongkong of the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company. The sad news was received to-day by the local office from the Head Office in London.

Mr. Lack proceeded on furlough in January last, with his family, prior to retirement. He succumbed suddenly to internal hæmorrhage on Wednesday. The greatest sympathy will be felt for the widow and three children in their heavy bereavement.

The late Mr. Lack had been in the service of the Eastern Extension Company for over thirty years, in the Straits, Java and China. He was, until his leave in January, manager of the Hongkong branch, a position which he had held for about three years. Prior to that he had previous service in Hongkong. He was succeeded as local manager by Mr. C. C. Clarke.

COAL FIRM FOR CANTON

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INDIA

Canton, June 30.

From to-morrow, the firm of Amritlal Diba & Co., Ltd., colliery proprietors, tea, rice and general merchants, will open up an agency in Canton in order to transact coal business here. This firm has its Head Office in Calcutta and branch offices in Rangoon and Hongkong.

Up to now all coal business from India has been transacted from Hongkong, and this will be the first direct business from India with China. In Hongkong during the past six months the firm has executed transactions totalling 50,000 tons. The Asiatic Traders will hold this agency at 232 Shauke Road, under the management of Mr. Pierre H. Agostini.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

FLIGHT FROM YEN

GOVERNMENT TO CONTROL
EXCHANGE

Tokyo, June 30.

Two important financial Bills approved at the recent Diet session would be enforced on July 1. They are the law for the prevention of the flight of capital which virtually entails the Government's control of exchange and the convertible bank note law, expanding the maximum of the fiduciary issue of the Bank of Japan from the present yen 120,000,000 to a thousand million.—*Reuter.*

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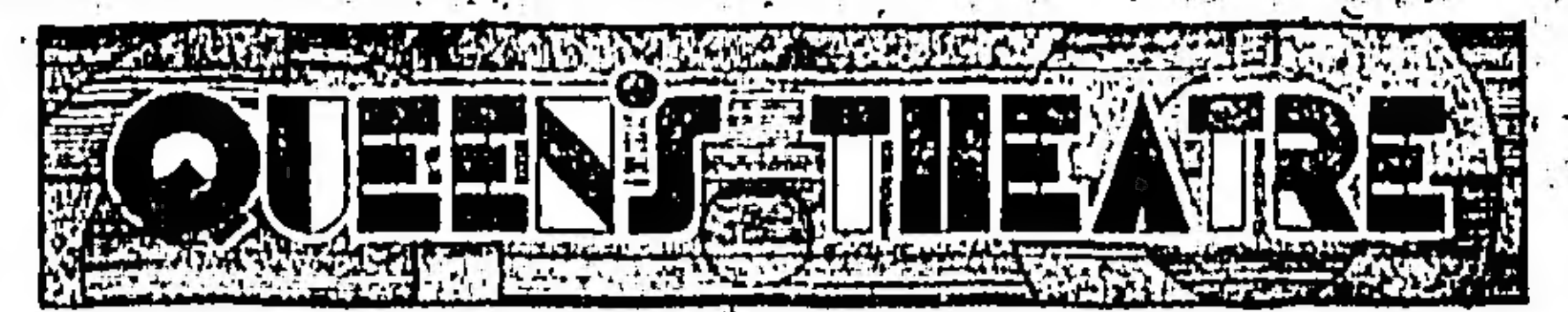
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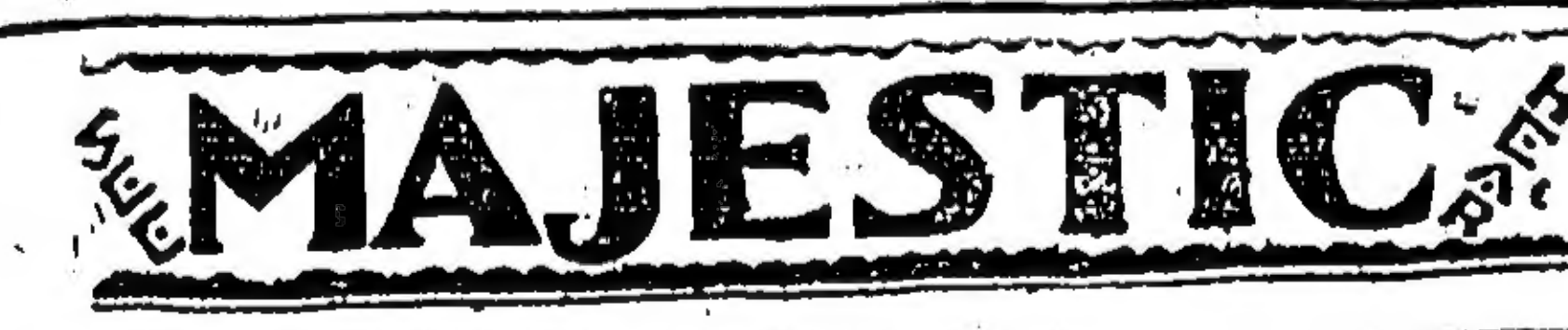
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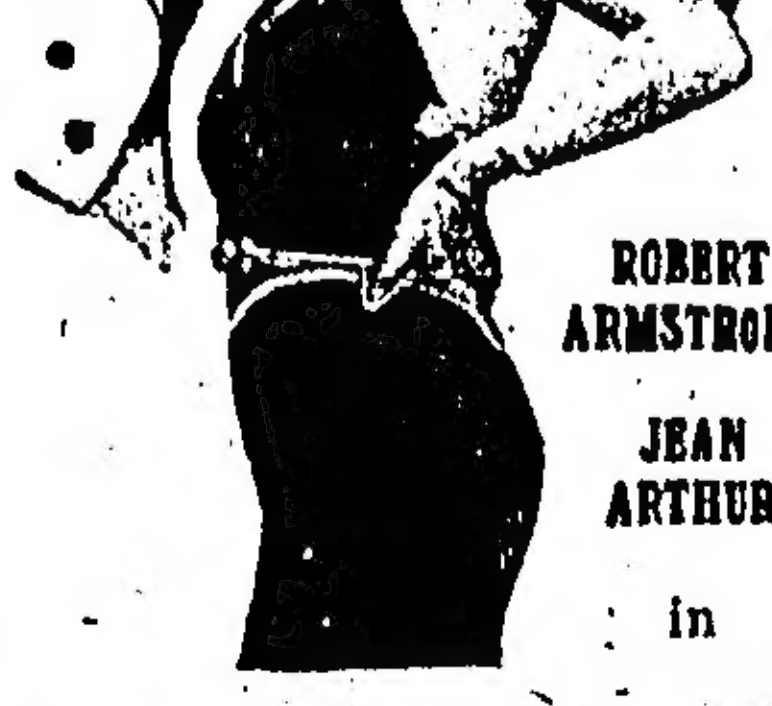
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